

### Invaded By "Blacks"

Knox and Waldo Counties  
Got a Taste of Mimic  
Warfare Sunday

Answering a surprise diaphone call, "62," at 7.34 a. m., Sunday Company L, Maine State Guard, Captain Burton C. White of Rockland, commanding, and other defense units, coped satisfactorily with an "invasion" force of 20 men from the Naval Section Base.

The test was arranged principally to find out just how efficiently the communications units in Region 6, of which Capt. White is the top ranking officer, would function. Capt. Philip Parsons of Company M, Belfast, is executive officer. More than 50 calls were handled at the Warning Center in Rockland, and it was reported that there were only two times during the test that the "invasion" group headed by Lieut. Chester Allen and Lieut. Fred Hersey, were out of touch with the "black" force.

Landing of the force was at Hart's Neck, opposite Tenant's Harbor in the town of St. George. Their objective was the destruction of power and communication lines and war industries. The party proceeded in cars to near the plant of the Lawrence Portland Cement Company in Thomaston, where telephone and power lines were "cut." They then went quickly up the back road to Camden and had no difficulty getting by the guards at the Camden Shipbuilding and Marine Railways Corporation.

Vessels and installations were "destroyed" at this place and the forces escaped without suffering any casualties. Part of the party sneaked back to Rockport Village and blew up the iron bridge which spanned Goose River, and then came down the back road to Rockland and dynamited the reservoir on the hill just east of Chickawaukie Lake.

The black forces went up through Union, Appleton and Belmont Corner to Belfast, but were "spotted," but not stopped by a defender in the town of Union.

Real resistance was encountered in Belfast where the invasion group was bent on destroying the shipyard near the old Eastern Steamship lines wharf. There were some "casualties" on both sides at this point, but Company M., stationed at Belfast, did a first class job in treating the black force roughly. However the shipyard was adjudged

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destroyed before the enemy force was driven off. One man on duty as the Belfast Armory was surprised and captured.

Rockland "suffered" heavily, for although the Snow Shipyards were not molested, the telephone building was wrecked and the Warning Center was blown up. But, Capt. White on duty at the Armory, with three women of the Red Cross Motor Corps, acting as telephone operators, was prepared for the force and they were stopped in their tracks at the entrance when Capt. White threatened to eliminate them by tear bomb which he held ready to throw from the balcony of the Armory. Efficient work was done by the uniformed girls on duty: Clara Nason, Barbara Waldron and Barbara Grafton.

Major William H. Meanix of the First Service Command of Augusta was chief umpire and other umpires were: Major R. P. Pope with the 1st Battery of Damariscotta; Major F. H. Taylor with Company M, Belfast; Lieut. M. B. Robinson, headquartered in Rockland; Lieut. C. E. Maddocks with the 23rd Company (Cline's "Hellcats") of Spruce Head; Lieut. G. C. Murphy with the Knox County Sheriff's American Legion Patrol, under the command of Oscar Wiseman; Capt. A. W. Blaisdell, with Col. David E. Hayes observing, the "black" force from the Naval Section Base, and Lieut. E. D. Herbert at Damariscotta.

John M. Pomeroy, Knox County Commander in charge of the operations at the Warning Center, with Deputy Commander H. Laton Jackson and Charles H. Berry, handled the messages, which flowed in and which were relayed to the headquarters of the State Guard Company.

"Rapidly changing conditions make it imperative that messages be kept flowing into headquarters from all units in the region and that the messages give more complete detail," Chief Umpire Meanix said at the critique held following the ending of the test.

Col. L. M. Hart, representing General George M. Carter, adjutant general, stressed the importance of communications and hoped for improvement to be shown during the June 6 maneuvers which will include sections in Maine, New Hampshire and Vermont.

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### [EDITORIAL]

Germans and Italians captured in our triumphant Tunisian warfare may be brought to America as paid farm laborers, according to press news emanating from Washington. The shortage of manpower, due to the demands of the selective service, has made farm help a distinct problem, but we have an uneasy feeling that the importation of foreign prisoners is not going to be a solution that will wholly satisfy Americans. We are sending millions of young men abroad to help win the war, we are spending billions for income taxes, we are all working in some manner for national defense, hoping thus to maintain our proud boast of being a free, democratic country. The alien element could not be expected to merge completely into our way of living. Indulgent as we all might be there would certainly be a feeling of suspicion against this new element, and it is also quite probable that these men who have been forcibly transplanted—stripped of their property, prisoners of war—would always cherish a feeling of resentment against their new "employers." Let's somehow try to get along without resorting to that emergency.

Topping by 10 percent the others who have been mentioned in connection with the Republican nomination for the Presidency is Gov. Thomas E. Dewey of New York, who has declared that he is not a candidate. This, according to the latest edition of the Gallup poll, Dewey was found to have 38 percent of the expressed preferences, while Wendell Willkie, candidate in the last election, ran second with 28 percent, and Gen. MacArthur is third with 17 percent.

The figures furnish two rather surprising facts. One is the commanding lead which Dewey has gained over Willkie, and the other is the growing strength of the MacArthur movement—although it should not be surprising that the war hero should have a strong hold upon the voters. Be that as it may, everybody will concede that the three represent a strong trio of possibilities—Dewey with his marvelous popularity in the Empire State; Willkie, with his splendid record before and since the last election; and MacArthur, beloved by the American people as one of the great war figures.

Have our folks at home forgotten the brave men who are fighting in foreign war zones? The answer must be in the negative after one had read yesterday's Associated Press despatch that 339,000 bags of mail had been received in North Africa since the campaign got under way, including 4,300,000 V-mail letters. The happiest thing that can happen to the soldier is a cheerful friendly letter from the home folks.

Henry P. Weaver has resigned as the chief of the Maine State Police, is going away to the wars again. Augusta's guess is that he will be succeeded by the deputy chief Lawrence C. Upton. While it is true that there has been some factional discord during his term as chief, Weaver, it will be conceded, has worked unceasingly for the department's benefit, and has had no small degree of success.

The length of time being consumed by the Roosevelt-Churchill conferences in Washington is an indication of the momentous matters under consideration—a planning not for the war of today or the present year, but for action which will bring the titanic struggle to an early, complete, and successful conclusion.

The War Labor Board having awkwardly but undisputedly surrendered to Mr. Lewis on Friday, Mr. Lewis yesterday responded, not unnaturally, by kicking it in the teeth with a sovereign contempt. It was a characteristic gesture; and it is a little difficult to see what else the board could expect. Persons of Mr. Lewis's imperious nature are seldom impressed by weakness. When the board yielded him his main point—the restoration of the dispute to collective bargaining—without facing any of the basic issues of principle and national policy involved, it gave away its hand, ceased to be of any further use to Mr. Lewis and so invited him to complete his victory by discrediting and destroying the board itself. This he apparently now expects to accomplish, as he sits with folded hands waiting for the operators to submit themselves to a "collective bargaining" in which it has been left to Mr. Lewis to act as prosecutor, judge and jury and to make up all the rules besides.

One can only agree with Mr. Lewis, though for a very different reason, that "the whole question of a wage agreement in the mining industry has been tragically mismanaged, in a manner foreign to the public interest." Here we have the result of a course of Administration folly and futility which it is useless to go over now. But there remains one factor in the problem which even Mr. Lewis is obliged, although somewhat obliquely and even inconsistently, to recognize. In scorning the W.L.B. and denying it any further jurisdiction in the case, he is forced to admit that "jurisdiction and responsibility" do lie with "the agent of government now in charge of the coal mines." There is a national interest which is paramount even over Mr. Lewis; the question is not and cannot be one purely of collective bargaining between miners and operators alone, and that national interest is certain sooner or later to assert itself, if not in one way then in another.—Herald Tribune.

### FIRST OF THE NET TENDERS

#### Will Go Overboard At Snow Shipyards Saturday—A New Naval Type

Next Saturday at 2.15 p. m., Snow Shipyards will launch the first of its series of net tenders before a small invited group, including as always a delegation from the Supervisor's office at Bath, United States Navy, and a luncheon will be served them after the vessel has taken to the water.

The net tenders presumably are destined for service overseas and are to be equipped for the handling particularly of nets laid for submarines and in mine fields, etc. They are approximately 200 feet in length, over-all, and 35 feet beam. They will be equipped with single screws for propulsion and will have winches for the special service for which they are destined, and considerable special machinery for handling of this equipment.

They will not be fast boats as their duties do not call for speed, but they will be very able sea boats and capable of long sustained operations away from a home port.

These boats are of a new type for our Navy although the British have a considerable number in use, which are of similar construction and with similar equipment, so that they are not altogether experimental and it is expected that they will provide much needed service when as, and if the great descent upon the Continent of Europe takes place.

This boat is officially designated as YN-81 and so far officially no actual name has been assigned to her.

A similar boat will be launched in about six weeks and one will follow at a like interval until the entire six, covering the contract are overboard and delivery of this first one will be made to the Government in about four months.

### SUMMER BASEBALL PROBABLE

#### Cary Bok Takes Initiative In Lining Up Service and Shipyard Teams

Cary K. Bok, vice president of the Camden Shipbuilding and Marine Railways Company and a dyed in the wool baseball fan, has taken the initiative in having a series of hard ball games the coming Summer.

Material may be lacking for local teams but there should be an abundance of it in the Army and Navy organizations which have headquarters in Rockland and Camden, and it goes without saying that his own shipyard would have a contender in the field, which experts at Snow's yard will have to mean that the diamond something to say.

The nucleus on which Vice President Bok is working comprises the U. S. Coast Guard in Rockland, the U. S. Army in Camden and the Camden shipyard.

Fans who have been lamenting the prospect of no baseball this season should promptly applaud and support Mr. Bok's move.

### The Black Cat



(By The Roving Reporter)

In response to many inquiries I am happy to say that Alton Blackington will resume his Yankee broadcasts over W.B.Z. Thursday nights from 6.15 to 6.30, beginning this week with a Maine guide story.

Rev. Henry F. Huse, former North Haven pastor, now residing in Springvale, writes:

"I appreciate, or I recognize, now, how much The Courier means to people away from their home town, and how eagerly they await its arrival to get the news. This isn't taffy but a well-deserved commendation—The Courier-Gazette is a top-notch in town papers in Maine or outside the State. Trust you are able to get a little Hamburg once in a while!"

It pays to be a good physician and enjoy the confidence of your patients. Edith Grinnell Bowdoin of New York and Bar Harbor left her chow dog to Dr. Beekman J. Delatour of New York. Also \$300,000 and 300 shares of telephone stock.

Pupils of Milwaukee High School raised money to buy class rings, but the rings were never bought. Instead they invested the money in War Bonds. Three "rahs" for M.H.S.

The steel in an average household washing-machine would make one 30 caliber machine gun and tripod. Zinc in one toy locomotive equals the amount of zinc in one parachute flare. A 20-gallon can contains enough zinc to supply the requirements of four gas masks. Worth thinking about.

How many of our local anglers know where Maine's first fish hatchery was located, and when it was put into operation? To save a lot of investigation on the part of those who don't know I will say that Bucksport was the place, and 1872 the time.

Lewiston folks got "all het up" last week because a flock of wild geese "estimated in numbers from 37 to 60" made its headquarters over a week on the shores of the Androscoggin River. Judging from the "holer" which went up last Summer about Lewiston's smelly stream the wild geese were not of the finicky sort.

This is the centennial year of the Millarites who gained a considerable following in Maine towns. That is, it was in 1843 that this group of religious folk definitely predicted the end of the world. George R.

with labor and machinery, and a backward season to start off with.

President-elect Joseph W. Robinson gave an interesting five minute talk on the Rotary conference recently held in Lewiston. He quoted Philip Lovejoy, international secretary, as giving four rules for Rotarians, and others, in the conduct of their business or profession, as: (1) Is it the truth? (2) Is it fair to all concerned? (3) Does it create good will? (4) Does it produce a profit?

Dr. Walter P. Conley led the group singing and the speaker was introduced by Horatio C. Cowan, program chairman. Gilbert Harmon of Camden and W. E. Lee of Water-

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### The Kiwanis Club

#### Hears Story of "My Greatest Thrills," By The Courier-Gazette Editor

Frank A. Winslow, editor of The Courier-Gazette, made his tenth appearance before the Kiwanis Club, as guest speaker last night. Mr. Winslow told of some of the thrilling experiences in which he had a part during his long connection with the local paper. He was introduced by Stuart C. Burgess.

Highly interesting sketches were told of the 1892 Camden fire; a double murder and suicide; Steam City of Rockland disaster; pilgrimage to Bangor on the Steamer Penobscot in 1904 to nominate William T. Cobb for Governor; Minot St. Clair Francis' escape from prison in 1906; launching of 6-masted schooner Myrtle B. Crowley in 1907; Rockland's fire from Masonic Temple up around Lime-rock street in 1917 with thermometer at 28 degrees below zero; unsolved murder of Caroline Welt Brown in 1918; Central Garage to Winter street fire in 1920; Prison fire in 1923, and various trips taken in the Northeastern part of the country, including a visit at the home of the Dionne Quintuplets.

Dr. Donald T. Leigh presided in the absence of President Richard P. Bird, who is expected home in about two weeks. George Brackett reported that roadside signs would soon be erected. Arthur F. Lamb, secretary, reported that Charles H. Berry had been re-instated to membership.

Alan Grossman and Howe Glover are making plans for a memorial of all Rockland men and women in the service. Howe Glover and Lawrence Miller constitute a committee to arrange for a dancing party.—by Ray Sherman.

### The Rotary Club

#### Gets a Lot of Timely Hints On Victory Gardens From R. C. Wentworth

Rotarians were given some excellent advice concerning "Victory Gardens," by Ralph Wentworth, Knox & Lincoln County Agent, at meeting held Friday noon at the Hotel Rockland.

He suggested a garden of about 5,000 square feet in which to raise the proper amount of vegetables for a family of five. "Ordinarily," Mr. Wentworth said, "the rule has been to eat what you want and can the remainder, but this year one should can for Winter use first." His reason for this reversal of procedure is that one can probably buy all the fresh vegetables they need this summer and fall, but there will be a shortage of fresh vegetables during the Winter and Spring.

Mr. Wentworth gave pointers on selection and testing of ground; procuring of fertilizers and seed combating insect pests. He said that food shortages would result this year because of need of produce for armed forces and for lend-lease shipment; difficulties in connection

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For we know that the whole creation groaneth and travaileth in pain together until now—Romans 8:22.

### Book Review

(By K. S. F.)

"Heads and Tales." Author Malvine Hoffman. Published by Garden City Publishing Co., New York.

It is with pleasure I call the attention of my readers to this remarkably interesting and instructive edition to the book world, in the extraordinary adventures of a great sculptrix in her trip around the world for science. As Stevenson once said "The world is so full of a number of things" and this book is so filled with the joys and efforts of a sculptrix's interpretation of humanity that it's worthy of wide reading and especially by those who give to life its worthy share of their deepest thoughts.

The fact that Malvine Hoffman is daughter of our once Summer neighbor Richard Hoffman the distinguished pianist, would call interest in her—but she has made for herself as distinguished a place in the minds and hearts of the world as has her father, and her bronzes and other work has penetrated the racial spirit of types drawn from all over the world in imperishable mediums of scientific beauty.

Besides the pictures of her great work we have a book of travel events and conditions that she writes in this fascinating autobiography as she takes readers back to student days under Rodin and to that period in World War I and the expedition launched by the Chicago Field Museum in 1931, when she gathered material for the famous Hall of Man exhibit.

The glamour of travel she feels and puts into her story for others; a book worthy, and at such a small price now published to give every reader of chance to own.

Kathleen S. Fuller

**Put Out The Light.** Author Ethel Lina White. Published by Harper & Brothers, New York.

A dramatic story of love and hate we find this tale to be with frustration and murder behind the rather ominous walls of Jamaica Court where Anthea Vine ruled as a provincial Queen Elizabeth, imperious and wealthy.

Most stories of crime begin with a murder and end with its solution. But the author tells her readers, as the victim is the most dominant character in this novel, she has been retained as long as possible. And it's some difficult guessing who is the murderer.

To live in an aura of illusion is not always the best thing for even those with wealth.

This story involves five more than discontented souls. With her three wards bound to her because of financial dependence, Anthea held them prisoners.

We run up against excitement of the most thrilling aspect, with humor and romance intermingling the days with its varied moods. The murder is solved in a very clever way at the last, by finding a broken teacup, a Dresden figurine and a missing Chinese vase—a clever tale. Death had been predicted for Anthea Vine by murder and it's well to read her wit came about. This is a clever and intimately told mystery with fate written clearly on the cover. Another of Harper's finds and a great find.

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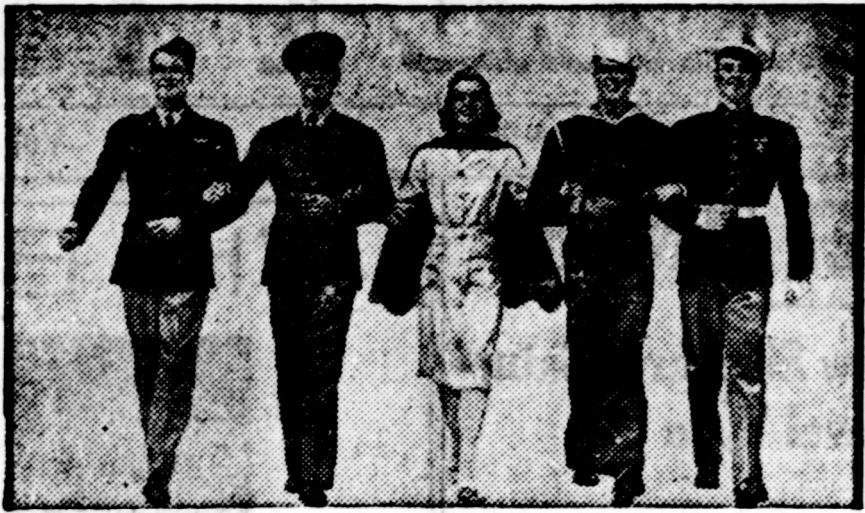
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## WORKING FOR VICTORY



Capt. and Mrs. David Haskell of Ingraham Hill were pleased at a surprise call from their nephew, Lieut. John E. Gray, whom they had not seen for many years. Lieut. Gray, who belongs to the U. S. Navy, has a varied experience. He spent four years in Germany as a representative of Cox & Green, builders of yachts, and on the last yacht built he cruised around the world. He is now serving in the Navy as an engineering officer. Lieut. Gray has a 19-year-old son in the Marines.

Capt. and Mrs. Haskell are much concerned about another nephew, Lieut. James March, who is in North Africa, from whom they have not heard for a long time.

Capt. and Mrs. Haskell have ten nephews and many dear young friends in this dreadful conflict.

Fort Hancock, N. J.—Philip Dondis, son of Mr. and Mrs. James Dondis, 11 Tilton avenue, Rockland, has been promoted from Private First Class to Corporal in the Coast Artillery unit to which he is attached at this post. Corporal Dondis attended Rockland High School and was employed as a motion picture operator before his induction into the Army in April, 1942.

The address of Pvt. William A. Putanus of Spruce Head is: Co. D, 5th Bn. E.R.T.C., Fort Belvoir, Va.

Mrs. Alton L. Horton (Ethel Hayes) has returned home after spending six weeks in Henderson, Kentucky, where she has been visiting her husband who has been stationed at Camp Breckinridge, Morganfield, Ky.

Pvt. Robert Ulmer, son of Mr. and Mrs. Edgar O. Ulmer of Winsted, Conn., (formerly of South Thomaston) has the following address: 412th T.G. Flight S2, Basic Training Center 4, Miami Beach, Fla.

Lt. Edward M. Hayes, Jr. of Fort Knox, Kentucky, spent last week-end with his sister, Mrs. Alton Horton, in Henderson, Kentucky.

Pvt. Lester E. Allen, Jr. of Rockland who is serving with Co. B, 28 E. T. Battalion, Engineer Replacement Training Center, Fort Leonard Wood, Mo. has been awarded a certificate of proficiency, having qualified in the use of M1 Rifle as marksman.

Miami Beach, Fla.—The public relations office at Basic Training Center No. 4, Miami Beach, Fla., one of the largest training centers of its kind in the Army Air Forces Technical Training Command announced today that Cpl. Robert W. Cunningham, son of Mrs. W. A. Palmer of Washington, was promoted to the grade of Corporal. Cpl. Cunningham entered the service on April 4, 1942 at Rockland.

Mrs. Jennie Johanson of Worcester, Mass., formerly of St. George, writes: "My brother Pvt. Wilho J. Williamson, who has been in service a year in July is at this address: 423d 2 Engine Flying Training Squadron, Columbus Army Air Field, Columbus, Miss. Brother Pvt. Victor who has been in service over a year is in the 168th Chemical Co., A.P.O. 3792, care Postmaster, New York City, N. Y. (31075201).

Lieut. Ensis W. Matson has returned to New York after spending a short leave with his mother Mrs. Saima Autio and sister and brother-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Harlan H. Bragdon at their home in Long Cove.

The address of Corp. Jack Smalley, son of Mr. and Mrs. Jacob Smalley of Rockland, is: A.S.N., 31069189, U. S. Army, Main Post Exchange, A.P.O. 860, care Postmaster, New York N. Y.

Miss Eleanor R. Porter, R.H.S., 1941, who has been visiting her mother, Mrs. Leigh A. Weaver at Glen Cove and her grandmother, Mrs. Charles E. Grotton, Camden street Rockland, left Sunday for New York City, where she will enter Hunter College for the WAVES training course. Miss Porter has been employed for some time at the Porteous-Mitchell-Braun store in Portland.

Pvt. Arthur E. Skinner on a 15-day furlough, is visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Edward E.

Skinner of Rockland, the first time home since September. "Chummy" will be remembered by boxing fans as a frequent combatant in fistic encounters at the Park Street Arena. He says that he is not doing any "fighting" now. He will be at home until the 28th. His address is: 859th M. P. Company, Avn., Harding Field, Baton Rouge, La.

Richard E. Thomas, who spent several months in South America, where he was employed, has enlisted in the Navy and left yesterday for Newport, Rhode Island, for a period of training. He has been spending a month with his mother, Mrs. Philip J. Thomas of Rockland.

Pvt. Kendall Wooster of this city has been transferred again, this time out of the country. Mail to him should now read: 15th Replacement Bn. C.O.C. 16th Platoon, care Fleet Post Office, San Francisco, Calif.

The address of Pfc. Clarence Leonard Jr., son of Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Leonard of Union, who has received his diploma at the Chicago Schools, Army Air Forces Technical Training Command, in Chicago, Ill., and who has been transferred to Florida is as follows: Pfc. Clarence Leonard Jr., 1st Student Squadron, A. A. F. P. G. S., Buckingham, A.A.F. Bks. 521, Fort Myers, Fla.

Ernest E. Johnson, who entered the Armed Forces Feb. 15 has been promoted to private, first class. His new address is: Co "A" 594th Boat & Shore Regiment, Camp Edwards, Mass.

Corp. Donald J. Chisholm, son of Mr. and Mrs. Thomas H. Chisholm of Rockland, is now in Oregon. His address is: 353d Fighter Squadron, Portland Air Base, Portland, Ore.

The address of Carl H. Kallach, son of Mrs. Raymond P. Cross of Rockland, is Corp. Carl H. Kallach, 11040227, 340th Pl. Sqd. A.P.O., 4511 Care Postmaster, San Francisco Calif.

Major Sumner B. Banks, formerly of the New England Sector and stationed in Boston, has returned to his new post at Fort H. G. Wright, Fisher's Island, New York, after spending a ten days' leave with his family. Mrs. Banks was formerly Margaret Allen, who is residing temporarily at 12 Masonic street, Rockland.

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### It's a Fact

BUCKSPORT is the site of the first Federal fish hatchery in U. S. Put into operation in 1872.

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## Lincoln Baptists

### Arthur K. Walker Elected Moderator At the Annual Meeting In Thomaston

Thomaston Baptist Church was host Thursday to the annual meeting of the Lincoln Baptist Association. The weather was fine, the attendance much larger than anticipated and the spiritual blessing received was an inspiration indeed.

The morning and afternoon devotional periods were led by Rev. M. S. Lincoln of Tenants Harbor and Rev. H. L. Skillin, both of whom emphasized the fact that in these days of confused thinking and confused moral standards people need to wait upon God.

Following the business session of the morning in which the reports of the Clerk, Treasurer and Auditor were given, Rev. J. S. Pendleton of Waterville, executive secretary of the Maine State Convention brought a report of the past year in the Convention both from a financial and a spiritual standpoint. Financially the church has prospered but the attendance in church and Sunday School has decreased. Rural communities have been greatly affected by the migration to the defense areas which in themselves have become a grave problem in a religious sense. There is a need in the future of providing adequate salaries for our pastors, of reaching into the communities surrounding the churches with a campaign of personal evangelism, of adopting a more aggressive missionary program and lastly, of carrying on the same work that has been done in the past only with greater zeal.

Rev. Samuel Johnston of North Haven brought a real challenge in the annual sermon. As the lepers of old, having discovered the food abandoned in the Syrian camp and, having filled themselves with the life-giving bread, brought back the word to the besieged city that relief was at hand, so should the Christians, having been filled with the fruits of salvation give the message to a weary and hungry world.

Perhaps the most inspiring message of the day was brought by Miss Ellen Peterson from Hangchow, China. Miss Peterson has spent years in China and has a great compassion for the people of that great country. Returning to China from her last furlough in 1940, Miss Peterson engaged in relief work in Hangchow, helping in the distribution of food and clothing to the children and women who came to the American missionary headquarters for refuge and relief after the Japanese took over the city. Miss Peterson was one of the exchange prisoners who came home on the Gripsholm last Summer.

At the Laymen's Hour following the Missionary Hour, C. O. Wyllie of Warren, president of the State Laymen's Council, presented the program of the Council. This period was followed by an interesting presentation by Rev. Harold Nutter of Liberty on his work as a missionary in the Waldo Larger Parish.

The evening service was given over to Rev. Gerald Bonney who is representing the New England Evangelistic Association in this vicinity. As usual Mr. Bonney proved very interesting as he brought his message through the medium of song and story as well as through the use of "Jerry" whom grown-ups as well as children love.

At the business sessions of the Convention the Moderator welcomed Rev. Samuel Johnston, Rev. M. S. Lincoln and Rev. H. W. Flagg into the Association, reports were received and accepted from the Evangelistic and Christian Education Committees. The clerk reported the deaths of Rev. Helen Carlson, Owl's Head, Deacon Herbert Waltz, Warren, and Deacon C. S. Staples, North Haven. It was voted to send a message of sympathy to

## Bridge Of Honor

### Boys From the S. S. S. Red Jacket Did Themselves Proud

Scout officials attending the Bridge of Honor at the High School gymnasium Friday night, were Commodore John Calvin Stevens, 2d Executive William Snook, both from Portland while from Augusta, Vice Commodore Lewis Johnson, Area Executive Willis Furtwengler, Skipper Daniel Brann and Mate Gilbert Tronier of the S.S.S. Byrd, were present. This is the first time that any Council officials have attended a local Bridge of Honor.

The Boy Scout awards were presented by William Snook (executive) the highest B. S. award being a Star Badge awarded Clifford Cameron. While Commodore Stevens presented the Sea Scout Badges the highest being an ordinary badge, going to Charles Whitmore.

Apprentice awards were made to Ralvan Welker, Hazen Sawyer, Albert Hollowell, Sherwin Sleeper, William Folland, Kenneth Mignault, Ronald Carver, Walter Griffin, Richard Woodward, David Farrand, Clifford Cameron, Harold Payson, Richard Simmons, Byron Keene, Horatio Cowan and Robert MacWilliams.

Five-year service stars went to Joe Wilkie, Kenneth Mignault and Horatio Cowan; Seamanship merit Badges, Sherwin Sleeper and Horatio Cowan, Jr., an Emergency Service Corps award to Sherwin Sleeper and Coxswain Badge to Joe Wilkie.

Commodore Stevens and Executive Snook expressed themselves well pleased with the work done to the officers and crews of the S.S.S. Red Jacket.

Music furnished by the Coast Guard Orchestra was enjoyed, and after awarding the Badges at the Bridge of Honor, dancing continued until a late hour. Ralvan Welker, Donald Brewster and Charles Whitmore, made up the very attractive dance books. All the boys deserve a great deal of credit for the fine job they did.

Special guests at the ball were Miles Sawyer and Dick Spear from the Maine Maritime Academy and Robert Smalley, U.S.N. All are associate members of the ship.

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## School Baseball

Rockland High collected 13 safeties from Hare of Rockport for their second win in the Knox-Lincoln campaign. Hare went the distance for Rockport and Dow did mound duty for Rockland, allowing only three hits, while striking out 14 men.

Dow knocked out a screaming double and two lousy singles in four trips to the plate and also scored four runs to help his own cause.

There were some changes in the Rockland lineup this week as Philbrook was shifted from first base to centerfield. S. Allen did duties on the initial sack and Jones came

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| Rockport     |   | ab | r | h  | p | a |
|--------------|---|----|---|----|---|---|
| McKinney, 3b | 4 | 0  | 0 | 0  | 1 |   |
| Hare, p      | 4 | 1  | 1 | 0  | 3 |   |
| Brown, 2b    | 4 | 0  | 0 | 1  | 0 |   |
| Richards, cf | 4 | 0  | 0 | 2  | 0 |   |
| Noyes, 1b    | 4 | 1  | 1 | 7  | 0 |   |
| Colby, lf    | 3 | 1  | 1 | 0  | 0 |   |
| Deane, ss    | 4 | 0  | 0 | 1  | 3 |   |
| Grant, c     | 4 | 0  | 0 | 16 | 0 |   |
| Staples, rf  | 3 | 1  | 0 | 0  | 0 |   |

| Rockland      |   | ab | r | h  | p | a |
|---------------|---|----|---|----|---|---|
| Dowling, 3b   | 6 | 0  | 0 | 0  | 0 |   |
| Coffey, ss    | 4 | 2  | 1 | 1  | 2 |   |
| E. Allen, lf  | 4 | 1  | 1 | 0  | 0 |   |
| S. Allen, 1b  | 5 | 1  | 2 | 9  | 0 |   |
| Duff, c       | 5 | 2  | 3 | 14 | 1 |   |
| Dow, p        | 4 | 4  | 3 | 0  | 2 |   |
| Philbrook, cf | 4 | 1  | 0 | 1  | 0 |   |
| Jones, 2b     | 4 | 0  | 2 | 2  | 2 |   |
| McRae, rf     | 4 | 0  | 1 | 1  | 0 |   |

Errors, Coffey 2, E. Allen 2, Philbrook. Two-base hits, S. Allen, Dow, Hare. Base on balls, off Dow 1, off Hare 5. Strikeouts, by Dow 14, by Hare 16. Hit by pitcher, Staples (Dow), E. Allen (Hare). Hits, off Dow 3 in 9, Hare 13 in 9. Umpire, Staples.

Rockland Whips St. George. Rockland evened their series with St. George by trimming them 12 to 5 at Community Park. Rockland combined 14 clouts and eight costly errors by the visitors for their victory. E. Allen and S. Allen were on the slab for the Tigers, allowing nine bingles between them. Duff was batting champ for Rockland with a triple, a double, and a single in five tries.

Wiley, a scutpaw for St. George, was relieved in the seventh by Kinney.

| St. George       |   | ab | r | h  | p | a |
|------------------|---|----|---|----|---|---|
| Korpinen, ss     | 5 | 0  | 0 | 3  | 9 |   |
| Wiley, p, 1b     | 5 | 1  | 2 | 0  | 5 |   |
| Kinney, 1b, p    | 4 | 0  | 1 | 7  | 0 |   |
| Coolbroth, c     | 4 | 2  | 2 | 15 | 1 |   |
| O. Coolbroth, c  | 4 | 2  | 2 | 15 | 1 |   |
| C. Coolbroth, 2b | 4 | 1  | 1 | 1  | 1 |   |
| Olson, 3b        | 3 | 1  | 1 | 1  | 1 |   |
| Mills, cf        | 5 | 0  | 2 | 2  | 0 |   |
| Falla, lf        | 4 | 0  | 0 | 0  | 0 |   |
| Fuller, rf       | 3 | 0  | 0 | 0  | 0 |   |

| Rockland    |   | ab | r | h | p | a |
|-------------|---|----|---|---|---|---|
| McCurdy, cf | 6 | 2  | 3 | 3 | 0 |   |

|                 |   |   |   |   |   |
|-----------------|---|---|---|---|---|
| Jones, 2b       | 6 | 2 | 2 | 3 | 5 |
| Coffey, ss      | 3 | 2 | 2 | 3 | 1 |
| S. Allen, 1b, p | 5 | 1 | 2 | 6 | 0 |
| Duff, c         | 5 | 2 | 3 | 9 | 1 |
| Philbrook, rf   | 4 | 1 | 1 | 0 | 0 |
| Dow, lf         | 5 | 2 | 1 | 3 | 0 |
| Kallach, 3b     | 4 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| E. Allen, p     | 4 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 |
| Estes, rf       | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| Margeson, cf    | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| Dowling, 3b     | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| Wooster, lf     | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |

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Errors, Kallach, Jones, Korpinen 2, Wiley, O. Coolbroth, C. Coolbroth, Olson, Mills, Falla, Doubles, Wiley, Kinney, O. Coolbroth, C. Coolbroth, Duff, McCurdy, Three-base hit, Duff. Base on balls, off E. Allen 2, S. Allen 2, Wiley 1, Kinney 0. Strikeouts, E. Allen 6, S. Allen 2, Wiley 10, Kinney 5. Hit by pitcher, Coffey. Hits, off E. Allen 5 in 6, S. Allen 4 in 3, Wiley 12 to 7, Kinney 2 in 2. Winning pitcher, E. Allen. Losing pitcher, Wiley. Umpires, Winchenbaugh, Knights, Falla.

## CAMDEN GIRL WINS

The friends and relatives of Miss Mona Ingraham of Camden wish to congratulate her upon receiving one of the honor parts at Kent's Hill Junior College. She is valedictorian of the senior class. Miss Ingraham has been active in field hockey and basketball; also majored in secretarial science and served as treasurer of her class. She is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Joshua Ingraham of Camden.

Mrs. John H. Andrews (a former Kent's Hillite) Rockport, May 17.

## WARREN

Capt. Dana H. Smith, who passed the week-end with his family in this town, has rejoined his ship. At present he is master of merchant ship in the Army Transport Service. Captain Smith was the only service man present Sunday afternoon at the dedication exercises for the honor scroll and service flag.

The house located on South Main street, P. Knight, and family of Merle Alice Vasso was said to have started apartment Sunday alarm was sounded and the all-out, a. m. The damage was said to be a bed afire on the the Hollis apart-

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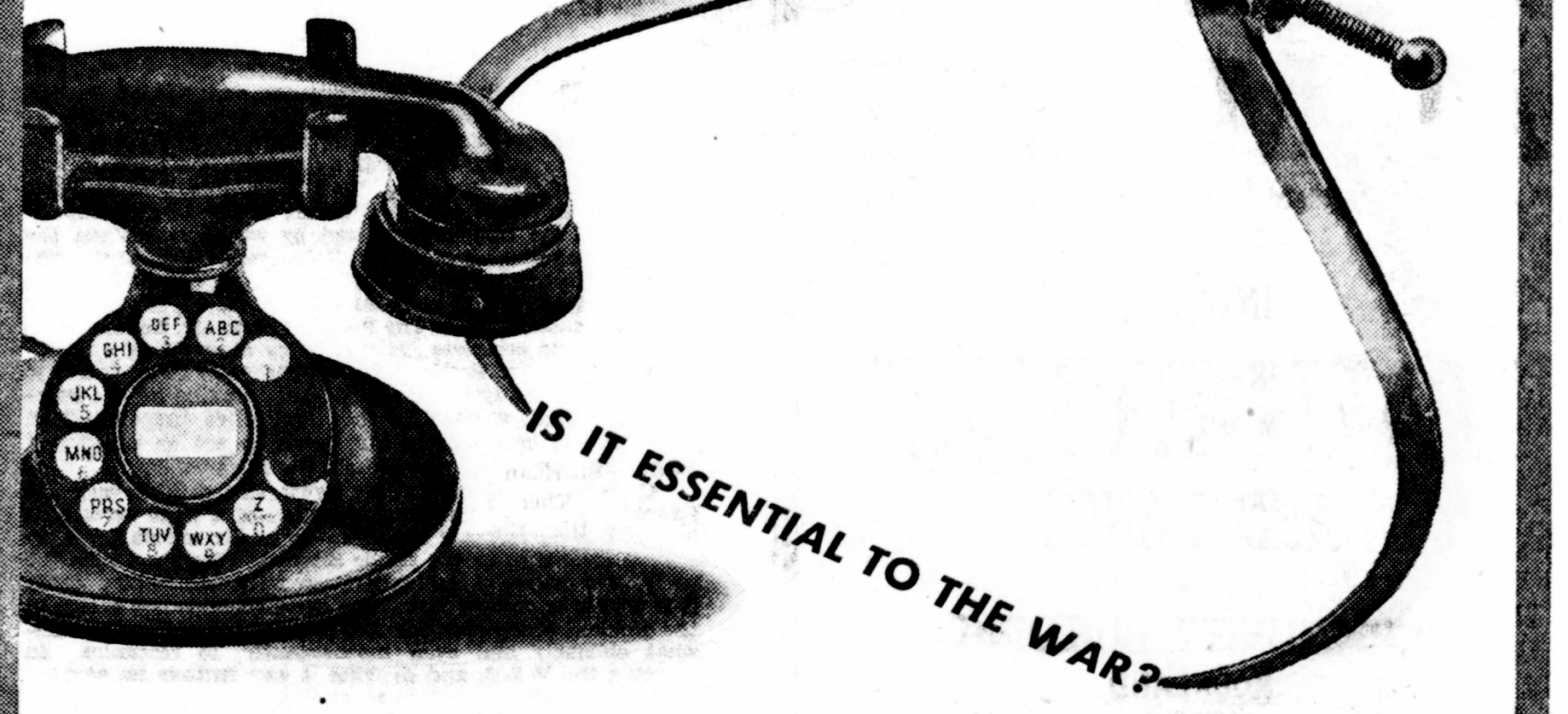
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## TALK OF THE TOWN



May 19—"In the Army Now," at Methodist Church, Rockland, 8:15 p. m.

May 21—Warren—Senior class play, May 27—Gala vaudeville show at Community Building.

May 29—Commencement exercises of Maritime Academy at Castine.

May 29—8 p. m., Baccalaureate Services, Class of 1943, Rockland High School, Community Building.

June 3—Graduation, Rockland High School.

June 4—Veterans of Foreign Wars, State Encampment at Lewiston.

June 11—Warren—High School graduation exercises.

June 14—Play Day.

June 20—Father's Day.

July 1—Samson Hotel opens.

Douglas P. Lewis, 20, of Boothbay one of three inmates of the State Reformatory at South Windham who made their escape May 10, was before Judge Zelma L. Dwinall in municipal court yesterday morning, charged with the larceny, at Rockland, Saturday night of sedan valued at \$550, belonging to Albert Lymburner of Rockland. He pleaded guilty and was bound over to the November term of Knox County Superior Court. Bail was set at \$500. He was committed to jail. The arrest was made Deputy Sheriff Herbert Pinkham of Boothbay and State Trooper Harold L. Mitchell of Rockland, in Boothbay, where Lewis had gone to visit his wife and child. The car was damaged somewhat in a collision at Damariscotta. Mr. Lymburner said that a leather coat and other articles, valued at \$25 were missing from the car when recovered at Boothbay.

The Sophomore Prize Speaking Contest will be held in the High School auditorium at 8 o'clock tonight. Dale Lindsey, president of the sophomore class, will be chairman. Music will be by the High School Band, under the direction of George A. Law.

The Brownie Girl Scouts will hold their final meeting of the season today.

The house located at 79 and 81 South Main street, owned by Fred P. Knight, and occupied by the family of Merton Hollis and Mrs. Alice Vasso was damaged by fire said to have started in the Hollis apartment Sunday morning. The alarm was sounded at 4:20 a. m., and the all-out signal was at 5:15 a. m. The damage, estimated at \$200, was said to have resulted from a bed afire on the second floor of the Hollis apartment.

Initiation of candidates for membership in the National Honor Society will be held in the High School auditorium Friday afternoon at 3 o'clock.

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The Baptist Men's League concludes its season tomorrow night with a "special ladies' night." The meetings are ordinarily held on Thursday night, and members should note the change. John Stahl will be the culinary artist in charge of the fish supper, which will be served at 6:30. Rev. Herbert Flagg of Thomaston will show views of China, and deliver an address on that country, where he spent a considerable number of years. In order that the season may go out in a blaze of glory it is hoped there will be a large attendance.

Rockland Lodge, F.A.M., will work the entered apprentice degree at a special meeting tonight.

Mrs. Nina P. Greeley, clerk at the office of War Price and Rationing Board, resumed her duties Monday, following several days illness.

Donald Marsh was elected president of the Young People's Christian Union at meeting held Sunday night at the Universalist Church. Betsy Cooper led the devotional part of the service. Other officers and committees elected were: Charles Perry, vice president; Nathalie Post, secretary; Betsy Cooper, treasurer; Louise Kirk and Carol Ann Wolcott, devotional committee; Virginia Barnard and Norma Bridges, social committee; Elaine Christoffersen, organizational committee, and Celia Kirk, program committee.

More Talk of the Town on Page 6.

**BORN**  
Arey—At Stonington, May 10, to Mr. and Mrs. Ivan Arey, a daughter.  
Weed—At Stonington, May 5, to Mr. and Mrs. Alton Weed, a son—Leroy Albert.

**MARRIED**  
Crowell-Field—At Stonington, May 10, Charles M. Crowell, Jr., and Caroline A. Field, both of Portland—by Dr. Horace Haskell.  
Dow-Jackson—At Rockland, May 15, Kenneth Wilson Dow of Belfast and Estelle Jackson of South Thomaston—by Rev. Charles A. Marshall.

**DIED**  
Brown—At Orlando, Fla., May 9, Hervey C. Brown, internment in Maple Grove cemetery, Rockland Point.  
Taylor—At Camden, May 16, Col. E. W. Taylor, age 63 years, 8 months, 9 days, internment today at 3 o'clock from St. Thomas Episcopal Church, internment in Seaview cemetery, Rockport.

**Keller**—At Camden, May 15, Bertram E. Keller, age 74 years, 11 days, funeral today at 2 o'clock from West Rockport Baptist Church.

**Brooks**—At Rockport, May 15, Bertie L. Brooks, age 53 years, 5 days, funeral Tuesday at 2 p. m. from residence, internment in Ansbury Hill Cemetery.

**Lewis**—At Fairfield, May 15, Maude C. Lewis, age 62 years, 3 months, 5 days, funeral Tuesday at 3:30 p. m. from Russell Funeral Home, internment in Auburn Cemetery.

**Kalich**—At Rockland, May 16, Everett F. Kalich, age 64 years, 16 days, funeral Wednesday at 10:30 a. m. from Russell Funeral Home, internment in South Thomaston.

**Thompson**—At Rockland, May 17, Frances Anna Patricia, daughter of James and Ethel Gellum Thompson of Rockland, formerly of Cape Girardeau, Mo., age 27 years, 3 months, 13 days, funeral services will be announced.

**Erickson**—At South Thomaston, May 18, Herman Erickson, age 78 years, 8 months, 29 days.

**CARD OF THANKS**  
We wish to express gratitude for the kindness and sympathy shown by neighbors and friends during the illness and death of our mother, Mrs. Dana H. Smith Sr., Mrs. Joseph K. Porter, Warren.

**CARD OF THANKS**  
We wish to thank Dr. Jameson, Dr. Foss, Miss Daly and Nurses for their kindness and consideration during Mr. Brown's illness; also neighbors and friends for their beautiful floral tributes during our recent bereavement.

**CARD OF THANKS**  
I wish to express my appreciation and thanks for the kindness shown me during my stay at Knox Hospital—To Dr. N. A. Pogg, Dr. North and the hospital staff, also to friends and neighbors for flowers, gifts, and cards.

Camden, Maine. Louise Brown.

The quilt contest of the Junior Women's Club was won by Mrs. Pauline MacWilliams.

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Al Moore, best known producer of live entertainment in New England, brings another of his stellar attractions to Community Building, May 27. Happy Stanley with his banjo and his songs heads a group of the finest vaudeville artists on the American stage today. In line with Al Moore's fine reputation for top flight shows is his adding Norman Lambert and his WLBZ Orchestra to the menu.

The church at South Hope was the scene of an interesting gathering Sunday when a service flag was dedicated in honor of the 16 South Hope boys who are with the armed forces.

Capt. Nelson U. Rokes, U. S. Army Air Corps, private pilot to Gen. Peabody, stationed in Orlando, Fla., came in about midnight Saturday and made a surprise visit to his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Arthur L. Rokes, Limerock street. Capt. Rokes had left Orlando Saturday morning with two army officials, one destined to New York and the other to Boston. He obtained permission from Gen. Peabody to run down to Rockland for a short stay before returning South. He landed at Rockland's new airport, after circling the home of his parents twice. Capt. Rokes left for the return trip at noon Sunday. It was his first visit home since his marriage in July, 1942. His address is: Hq. and Hq. Flight Section, Orlando Air Base, Orlando, Fla.

The W.C.T.U. will entertain children of the cradle roll in the local churches, with their mothers at a meeting for White Ribbon Recruits, Friday at 2 p. m. in the Congregational vestry. Members are requested to personally invite a mother and child of pre-school age. Hostesses will be Mrs. Susie Lamb, Mrs. Christine Dorr, Mrs. Lorna Pendleton, Mrs. Dorothy Crie and Mrs. Vivian Lord.

The address of Mr. and Mrs. Peter Hill, whose daughter has recently graduated from the New England Deaconess Hospital was erroneously given in this paper as "43 Masonic street, this city." They are residents of Seabrook.

The Maine State Letter Carriers' Association held its 49th annual meeting in Waterville Sunday, electing Henry L. Norton of Augusta as president. The Rockland Board was not represented at the meeting. Mrs. Jane Beach of Rockland was elected vice president of the Ladies Auxiliary.

The Spring meeting of the Maine Press Association was held Saturday, an all day session at Elmwood Hotel, Waterville. The Courier-Gazette was represented by Mrs. Kathleen S. Fuller, its president. Raphael S. Sherman and John M. Richardson. The meeting was called early that the group mind might be applied to the urgent and in the case of some of the smaller weeklies dangerous problems brought by war conditions and shortages. Asa V. Wasgatt of Bar Harbor well known in this city and a nephew of the late Dr. R. J. Wasgatt, was elected president. Mr. Richardson, a former president, heads the legislative committee.

Howard Hattesen, Rockland student at Florida Southern College, is listed as organization editor of the 1943 Interlachen, undergraduate yearbook of Florida Southern College, which came off the presses this week. Hattesen, a son of Mrs. Victor Hattesen, 558 Main street, was a sophomore this year.

A rummage sale will be held Saturday at 9 o'clock in the Methodist Church under the auspices of Junior Auxiliary.

## In The Armed Forces

Names of Former Rockland High School Students Who Are Fighting Our Battles

Following is a list of names, compiled by a committee, of those persons now in the armed forces who have attended Rockland High School. The committee did their best not to omit any name that should have been included.

James Accardi, Charles Allen, Hervey Allen, Owen Allen, Bradford Ames, Keith Ames, Kenneth Ames, Maxwell Ames, Richard Ames, Joseph Anastasia, Richard Anderson, Willis Anderson, Woodrow Anderson, William Atwell, Stuart Ames.

Frank Babbidge, Leigh Barnard, Richard Barnard, Perley Bartlett, Russell Bartlett, Paul Barton, Vinton Beal, Leroy Benner, Theodore Benner, Bernard Bergren, Harold Bergren, Sheldon Billings, Vernely Black, Irving Blackman, Gerald Black, Jacqueline Blithen, John Blithen, Charles Bodman, George Bodman, Leroy Bohn, Horace Booth, Donald Borgerson, Byron Bray, Maynard Bray, Harold Bray, Hawley Brannan, Jr., Roger Bronkie, Charles Breen, Elizabeth Breen, Clayton Browne, Fletcher Brown, Larry Brown, Richard A. Brown, Richard S. Brown, Gordon Burgess, Richard Burgess, William Burns, Fred Burpee, Clarence Butler, Walter Butler, William Butler.

Franklin Call, Robert Call, Lawrence Candage, Vaughn Cary, Donald Cates, Donald Chaples, Homer Chadbourne, Paul Chapman, Donald Chisholm, Everett Chancy, Bernard Cohen, Solomon Cohen, Andrew Coffey, Lawrence Cole, Roger Conant, Elmer Conary Elmer Coombs, Wilbur Cannon, Douglas Cooper, Ralph Cowan, Hiram Crie, Nelson Crockett, Clifton Cross, Raymond Cross, William Cross, Robert Cross, Harvey Crowley, Domenic Cucinello, Myron Cummings, David Curtis.

Warren Davis, William Daniello, Sanford Delano, Walter Dimick, Robert Dolham, Henry Dodge, Edith Dondis, Ernest Dondis, Maurice Dondis, Meredith Dondis, Philip Dondis, Charles Dorgan, Kendrick Dorman, Ben Dowling, David Dorr, Wilbur Dorr, Francis Dyer, Charles Duff.

William East, Arthur Eaton, Milton Eaton, Richard Economy, Edwin Edwards, Jr., Howard Edwards, Herbert Edlingwood, William Edlingwood, Emery Ellis, George Ellis, Raymond Ellis, Albert Emery, Charles Emery, Joseph Emery, Jr., John Emerson.

Arnold Fernald, Charles Fernald, Everett Fernald, Guido Fiore, Rose Flanagan, Clayton Fickett, Alvah Fitzgerald, Raymond Fogarty, Robert Fogarty, William Foster, Bernard Freeman, Philip French, Everett Frohock, James Farrell.

Raymond Gardner, Francis Gardner, Harold Gerrish, Kent Glover, Samuel Glover, Samuel Gray, Harry Graves, Lucien Green, Maynard Green, Charles Gross, Thad Grolton, Robert Guptill, Walter Guptill, John Hagar.

Oliver Hamlin, Jr., Richard Hamlin, Seth Hanley, Richard Harden, James Harding, Raymond Harmon, Robert Harmon, Ernest Harrington, Richard Harrington, Dudley Harvey, Malcolm Haskell, Merton Haskell, Vesper Haskell, Ellis Hastings, Elmer Havener, Francis Havener, Jr., Pierre Havener, Richard Havener, Edward Hayes, James Hayes, Roland Hayes, Carl Herriek, Russell Hickman, Harold Heal, Russell Hewett, Kenneth Hooper, William Hopkins, Perry Howard, Victoria Anastasia Howard, John Huks, Charles Huntley, George C. Huntley, Robert Hussey, David Hyler.

Malcolm Ingraham.

William Jackson, Maurice Johnson, Roy Joyce, Ernest Johnson.

Harold Kaler, Russell Kaler, Carl Kallach, Robert Kallach, John Karl, Richard Karl, Richard Knowlton, Gee See Kee.

Fred Lacrosse, John Lacrosse, Edward Ladd, Clifford Ladd, Joseph Lamb, Milton Lawry, Oram Lawry, Robert Learned, Albert Levensaler, Charles Libby, Raymond Lindsey, Ritchie Linnell, Lawrence Lord, Priscilla Lovejoy, Kenneth Low, Crosby Ludwick, Elmer Lufkin, Ronald Lufkin, Earl Lymburner.

William Mack, Perry Margeson, Donald Marriner, Richard Marsh, David Mazzeo, Domenic Mazzeo, Julius McCaslin, Francis MacAlary, Stuart McAlman, Albert McCarty, Irving McConchie, Douglas McMahon, Donald Morang, Charles Merritt, Frederick Merritt, Albert Mills, Douglas Mills, Charles Mitchell, Kenneth Morgan, Stirling Morse, James Moulaison, John Moulaison, Daniel Munro, John Munsey, Tony Murgita, Victoria Curry Moulaison.

Robert Nash, Constance Newbegin, David Newcombe, Roger Newhall.

Kenneth Orcutt.

Joe Page, Ronald Packard, Albert Pease, Edward Peaslee, Alvin Perry, Dudley Perry, Richard Perry, Roger Perry, Clarence Peterson, Cobb Peterson, James Pellicani, Nicholas Pellicani, Aleric Pierzon, Joseph Pie-

## Sgt. Jacobson's Word

About Some Rockland Boys In the Service Out In California

U. S. Army, California  
Editor of The Courier-Gazette:—

It has been a long time since you heard from any of us boys so I will drop a line or two and give you the lineup of all the boys who left Rockland, Sept. 16, 1940.

I guess we will start with "Cracker." You all know him by that name. He's none other than Fred Pavreau and today he was promoted to the rank of 1st Sergeant. He certainly deserves it. He has been with us a long while and his work has been excellent. We are certainly sorry to see him leave us but I guess we will all meet up together back in Rockland after this war is over. We all know that his folks are proud of him and so are we.

Next we have Sgt. Francis Robinson. "Robbie" done met up with a sweet little girl from Glendale, Calif., and went and got married. "Robbie" should be in Rockland about right now seeing that he is enjoying a 15-day furlough. Best of luck for the both of you in the future Robbie and congratulations.

Sgt. Elroy Nash is still with us but we don't know how much longer he will be. He is about due to be promoted to 1st Sergeant and I imagine that we will lose him soon but when we all meet back in Rockland after we have cleaned up a few things there will be a grand and glorious celebration.

Well, folks I guess that's all for now but you all will be hearing from me soon again. That's all folks.

Staff Sgt. Carl L. Jacobson,  
U. S. Army.

troski, Paul Pietroski, Lawrence Pike, Elmer Pinkham, Herbert Poland, Eleanor Porter, Robert Powell, Stanley Prescott.

Earl Rackliffe, Maurice Rackliffe, Paul Rackliffe, Robert Rackliffe, Bernard Ramsdell, Glenn Rankin, Knott Rankin, Jr., Charles Raye, Vernon Raye, Richard Reed, Drury Rice, Russell Richardson, Ira Ripley, Milton Roberts, Clarence deRochemont, Carl Rogers, Nelson Rokes, Milton Rollins, Donald Rossnagle, Frederick Ranquist.

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Lee Thomas, James Thomas, Raymond Thompson, Ronald Thompson, Harold Tolman, Edwin Tyler, Ralph Tyler.

Warren Ulmer.

Norman Waldron, Sumner Waldron, Donald Walker, Wesley Wasgatt, Charles Weed, William Weed, Leon White, Edw. Williamson, Albert Winchenbach, George Wood, Jr., Herbert Wood, Carleton Wooster, Kendall Wooster, Luther Wotton.

Donald York, Paul York, Almon Young, Jr., Myron Young, Raymond Young, Richard Young.

A joint meeting of Anderson Camp and Auxiliary will be held Wednesday night, with supper at 6:30. Visitors from Bath will be present. A full attendance of officers and members is urged.

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## Its Annual Meeting

Society With Long Name Elects Camden Pastor As President

Rev. Melvin H. Dorr, Jr. minister of the Chestnut Street Baptist Church of Camden was elected president of the Knox County Association for Rural Religious Education at annual meeting held in the vestry of the First Baptist Church last night.

Other officers elected were: Rev. Hubert F. Leach of Thomaston, vice president; Jesse E. Bradstreet of Rockland, secretary; Herman M. Hart of Rockland, treasurer; Harold S. Leach of Rockland, auditor; C. Clifton Lurkin of Rockport, chairman of finance committee, and Eugene E. Stoddard Dr. H. W. Tweedie, Frederick A. Carter, Mrs. Henry M. deRochemont and Miss Alena Young, all of Rockland and Arthur K. Walker of Rockport, members of the executive committee.

F. L. S. Morse, a superintendent of schools in several communities served by the association, told of the excellent work done with the children along Bible teaching line. Miss Alena Young, retiring chairman of the financial committee stated that there was more financial support last year from the churches than ever before.

Miss Hazel N. Lane of Rockport, director of the religious education work, who has conducted 34 classes in 24 schools, gave an informal comprehensive report of the work in various communities. Some 35 posters made by children were on display about the room.

**GRANGE CORNER**  
News items from all of the Patrons of Husbandry are welcomed here.

Rev. A. S. Bishop of Warren was a visitor Friday at White Oak Grange of North Warren and gave an interesting talk.

Penobscot View Grange of Glen Cove meets Thursday night.

The Weymouth Grange Circle of Thomaston will meet Thursday at the Grange hall for an all day session. Dinner will be served at noon.

A tasty dandelion dinner will be served to the public Thursday, May 20, between 11 and 1 at the Methodist Church. Other events on the Methodist calendar for that day are as follows: Executive meeting of the Women's Society of Christian Service at 2 o'clock; missionary education meeting with Mrs. Edith Tweed in charge of devotions and Mrs. Laura Buswell to review text book material at 2:30, and Social relations and church activities meeting at 3:30.

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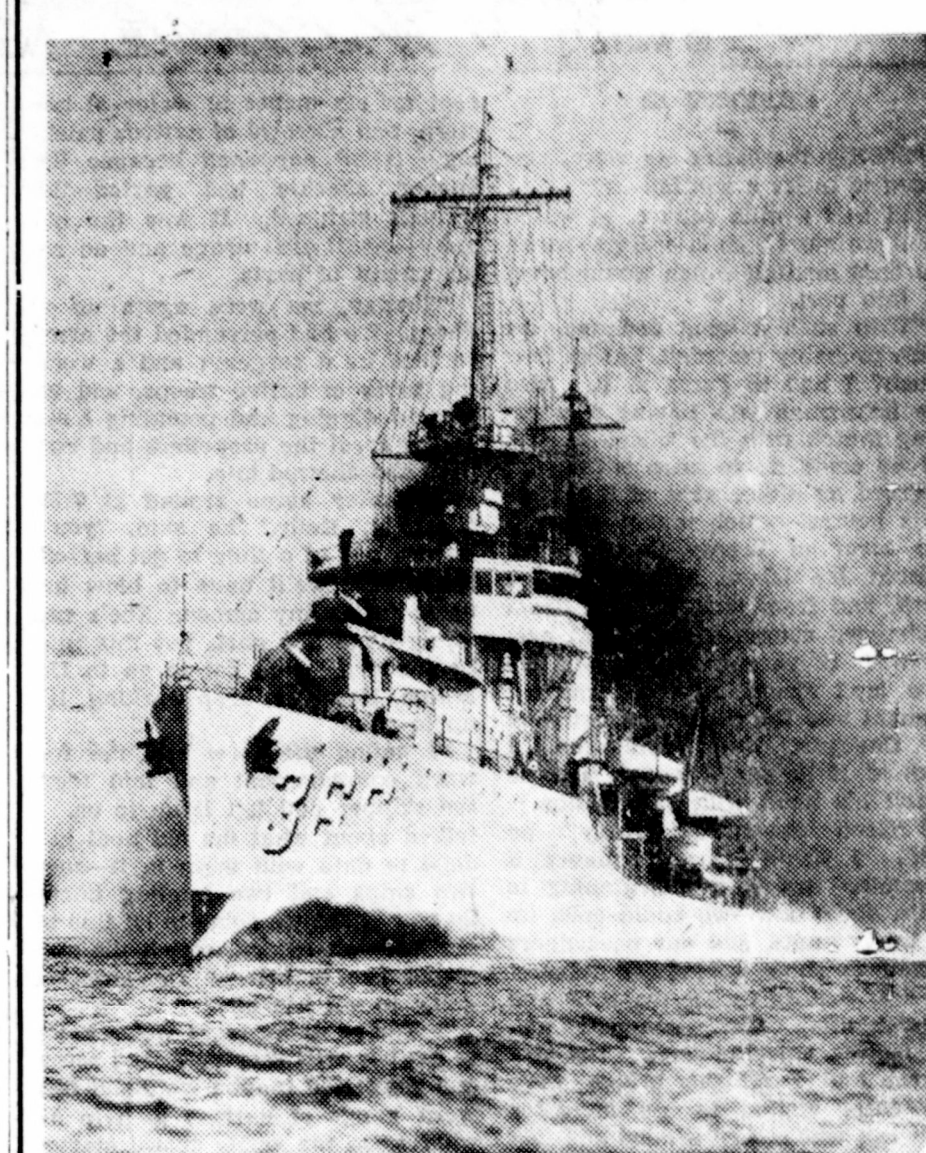
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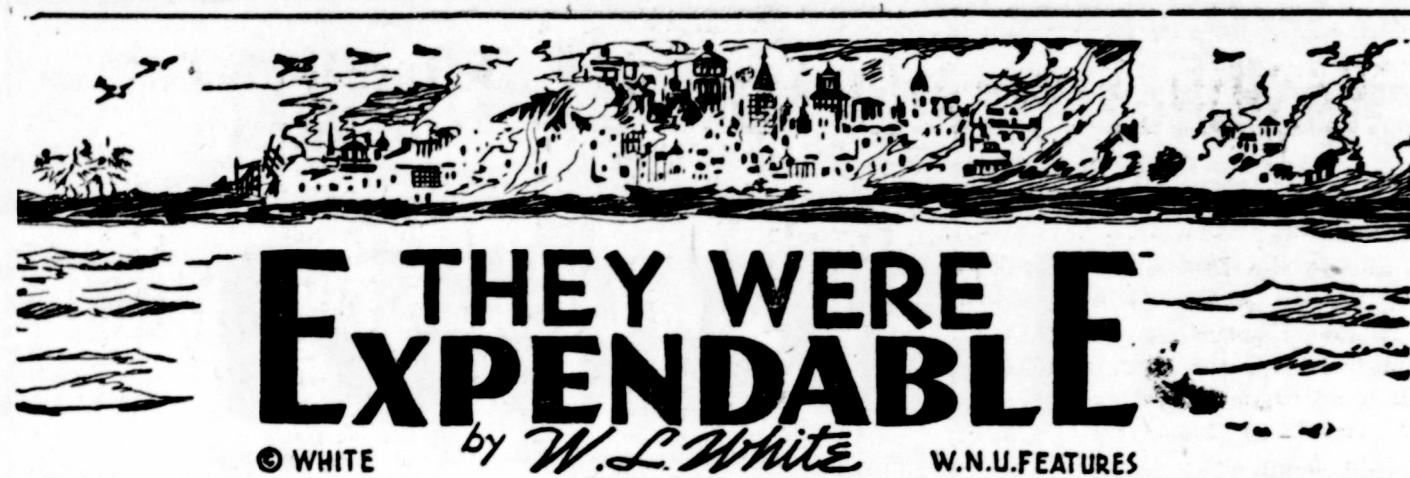
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|                     | Lv. Time   | Lv. Time   | Lv. Time    | Lv. Time |        |
| Rockland,           | 7:30 Shift | 4:00 Shift | 12:00 Shift |          | \$5.40 |
| Thomaston,          | 5:35 A.M.  | 2:05 P.M.  | 10:05 P.M.  |          | 4.95   |
| South Warren,       | 5:50 A.M.  | 2:20 P.M.  | 10:20 P.M.  |          | 4.70   |
| Waldoboro,          | 6:08 A.M.  | 2:38 P.M.  | 10:38 P.M.  |          | 3.50   |
| Damariscotta,       | 6:29 A.M.  | 2:59 P.M.  | 10:59 P.M.  |          | 2.85   |
| Wiscasset,          | 6:46 A.M.  | 3:16 P.M.  | 11:16 P.M.  |          | 2.05   |
| Arrive at Bath,     | 7:15 A.M.  | 3:45 P.M.  | 11:45 P.M.  |          |        |
| Return Buses Leave, | 7:45 A.M.  | 4:15 P.M.  | 12:15 P.M.  |          |        |

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**BATH IRON WORKS BUS SCHEDULE**  
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|                        | A.M. | P.M. | P.M. |
|------------------------|------|------|------|
| Camden Monument,       | 5:25 | 1:55 | 9:55 |
| Camden—Knox Trust Co., | 5:28 | 1:58 | 9:58 |





## CHAPTER XI

"Shortly thereafter we were supposed to make a landfall—an island about half a mile square, at which point we must turn in order to make the final landfall which would bring us into port.

"With such a wind and sea, we were probably retarded, but by how much? I had to guess at it. Also the helmsman was having a wrestling match with the wheel—it was all he could do to keep within ten degrees on either side of the compass course—which meant a possible error of twenty degrees. We missed the island entirely in the dark, and from then on until dawn I changed course as I thought necessary. Dawn came at six and we saw land ahead, a point which I thought was the peninsula just west of Cagayan, our destination. I showed it to the Admiral, and he shook his head with satisfaction.

"Good navigation, Kelly," he said. "I wouldn't have believed it possible." But it was beginning to calm down now—we could open up to thirty knots, and our passengers began to show a restored interest in life, getting up off the floor and straightening their rumpled uniforms for entering port. The Admiral and I on the bridge were presently visited by an air-cop general, who looked around and told us he was sure we were lost.

"Have you ever been to Cagayan before, General?" asked the Admiral.

"Flown over it twice. That point ahead there is sixty miles to the west of Cagayan."

"I'd never been there before, but I was fairly sure of my navigation. Also I'd spent the night peering at what few landmarks there were—not lying on the floor. Anyway I wasn't going off on any tangents, investigating someone else's ideas, so I stuck to my story.

"But now the Admiral was doubtful again. 'Kelly, I'm going to take back what I said. I'll say it's a nice landfall when we tie up—if we ever do.'"

"We were up to tie speed now, carbon burned from the motors, and at 6:30 we sighted the light on the point at Cagayan's entrance. We slowed to let the 41 boat lead the way, as it had the channel charts.

"General Sharp, commanding officer of the island of Mindanao, was down to meet us, and as soon as we could see the pier we woke up General MacArthur," said Bulkeley. "He shook the salt water out of his gold general's cap, flipped it on his head—somehow it always lands at a jaunty angle, seems to go with his cane—and looked around with his jaw set—a fine figure of a soldier.

"Then he said to me, 'Bulkeley, I'm giving every officer and man here the Silver Star for gallantry. You've taken me out of the jaws of death, and I won't forget it.'"

"Still later that afternoon he told me: 'If the boats never accomplish anything more and were burned now, they'd have earned their keep a thousand times over. If possible, when I get to Melbourne I'll get you and your key men out.'"

"We arrived on the thirteenth. Four flying fortresses from Australia were supposed to have met the General. One cracked up on the take-off, two came down in the Australian desert, and the one which finally arrived had supercharger trouble and had to turn around and go back without any passengers, so MacArthur didn't get away until the eighteenth.

"We told the crews to keep quiet, not to let it get out whom we'd brought in, so the Japs wouldn't find out and maybe attack while MacArthur was waiting."

"The afternoon we arrived," said Kelly, "Bulkeley told us what MacArthur had said about getting us out if he could. It was good news, but we weren't exactly excited. For if the air force couldn't get even one serviceable plane up here from Australia to take MacArthur out, what chance had we?"

"Our job, I knew, would be to fight out the water, the southern islands with torpedoes while we had them, and on land with rifles when they were expended. So better not get our hopes up.

"The boats were to be anchored off the beach, and before I left mine, I told my executive officer to check on the anchor—we were close to the beach and there was a lot of surf pounding the coral. Just to make doubly sure, I went on the forecastle for a last inspection myself. The line seemed taut. I tugged to make sure, and it came loose in my hand.

"Start the engines immediately! They were started in thirty seconds, but five seconds later there was a grinding scrape—one propeller had hit bottom. The other engine conked out, and when we did get it going it was too late, the waves were slapping at us broadside, each breaker driving us farther and farther on the beach.

"I yelled over to the 41 boat to get under way and give us a tow but by the time we'd tied her line onto ours, we were stuck—hard and fast. We worked furiously four hours until the tide had gone out, and by midnight we were solid as concrete, in water so shallow that now there was only three feet of water at and less than a foot forward. Impossible to get off that night. I went to bed disgusted.

"Next morning I was up at five and there she was high and dry and

cept for six inches of water at her stern, and a crowd of natives gawking. It all happened because the anchor shackle had parted—the threads stripped. It was the old 'story-continuous' usage and no replacement of parts.

"Sunday, we were again up at dawn. We had persuaded the army to lend us a sergeant and a working party of native troops, and we started digging and pouncing away at the coral the propellers and rudders had chewed into.

"Bulkeley came around at 7:30. 'Frankly, Kelly,' he said, 'you'll have a hell of a time to get her off. I'm afraid we'll have to blow her up if the enemy comes. She's certainly done her part, but this may be the end. I've got to go to Del Monte. However, keep working. It's up to you.'"

"I called the crew into the forward compartment and told them the skipper had left it up to us. I talked about what the old boat had done to date with them in it—sunk two ships and two landing boats. So now, were we going to let this be her end—sit by and watch the surf pound her to pieces? Or were we going to get her off?"

"You're damn right we're going to get her off," they said, and someone suggested maybe we could hire work gangs of natives to help us, whereupon the whole crowd started pulling money out of their pockets and piling it on the table. They'd had no pay since the start of the war, but since they'd been down here in Mindanao, they'd had shore leave and a chance to play poker with the army. The government could cut the cost of the war by just paying the army and then giving the sailors a chance to play poker with them.

"We hired what men we could, and all of us got to work with them digging out those razor-sharp coral

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"It was one o'clock when we entered Dumaguete—it was pitch-dark; both the town and the harbor were blacked out. We had no chart—I'd never been there before—and when we pulled up to the pier—no President! However, his aide, Major Soriano, was there to meet us. He said three hours ago, after we had already left Mindanao, Quezon had got a telegram from General Wainwright ordering him to cancel the trip—there were so many Jap craft in the neighborhood it was too risky. But Soriano said as long as we were here, we might as well go over to the President's home—it was about forty-five kilometers away—and he might change his mind. We were ripping over there in Sariano's car at sixty miles an hour. Quezon was up, dressed, and considerably interested. He listened to us, looked me over very carefully—I had a long black beard then, which must have been quite impressive—and finally said he'd go. Later on when he saw me in Melbourne, he said he'd never disregarded Wainwright's orders if he'd known he was riding with a mere child of thirty." Anyway, Quezon and his family were loaded into cars and we were off. So then we started for the dock.

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The wharf is being repaired and the ways put in condition at the Waldoboro Shipyard.

Sgt. Russell N. Winchenbach is in North Africa, his address: Co. C, 9th Bn., 1st Repl. Depot, 1st Platoon A.P.O. 761 A.S.N. 31045467 care of Postmaster, New York City.

Aviation Cadet Leon Hoak was guest the past week of his parents Mr. and Mrs. Willard Hoak.

Corp. Arthur Wentworth has been transferred from New Mexico to Harvard, Neb.

Rev. Frederick Heath returned Friday from a week's visit in Boston.

Miss May Braun of Boston, has been guest at Osborne Wells.

Mrs. Stuart Hemmingsway and family of Syracuse, N. Y. are at Glenhurst.

W. P. Martin of Fort Fairfield, has been visiting Mr. and Mrs. James Wood.

Mrs. Bessie Kuhn and daughter have returned home after a winter spent in California.

A daughter was born, May 11, to Mr. and Mrs. Merton Quinn.

Mrs. Philip Creamer is a surgical patient at Miles Memorial Hospital.

Mr. and Mrs. S. H. Weston have been Portland visitors.

Mrs. Geneva Welt and Miss Gertrude Newbert have returned to Medomak Terrace after spending the winter in Torrington, Conn.

Mrs. Sarah A. Wood of Chicago, is spending the Summer with her son, James Wood.

Allan R. Moore, foreman at the Waldoboro Press, attended the Linotype Clinic held Saturday in Portland.

The Parent-Teacher Association will hold a dance May 20 at the High School Gym. The proceeds will be used toward the Home Economics course. On the committee are: Mrs. Edna Creamer and Mrs. Pauline Wallace, advertising; Mrs. Nan Weston, music; Mrs. Madeilyn Porter, tickets; Mrs. Fannie Gray, Mrs. Hilda Boggs, Mrs. Betty Hilton and Mrs. Alma Fitch, hostess.

The Band Concert given by the High School Thursday was a success, and a great deal of credit is due to the director, Arthur F. Cain. These numbers were played: Marches, "Thunderer," "Ensemble," waltz, "Nonette," "The Skaters' Waltz," "Plantation Echoes," band; vocal solo, Lilla Johnson, clarinet trio, "Humoresque," Ruth Burgess, Edith Burgess and Barbara Picinich; "Jubilee," "Merry Minstrel," band; "Hiawatha," band; overture "Gypsy Festival," march "Harvard Special," vocal solo, Elizabeth Fitch; "For Me and My Gal," trumpets, Lilla Johnson, Elizabeth Fitch, Jeanette Genthner and Madeline Miller; march, "Alta mont," band; vocal solo, Ruth Burgess; march, "National Guard," band; duet, George Salmi and Ernest Fitchgerald; "Over the Top," band; "Star Spangled Banner," band and audience.

Mrs. Mona Walker has gone to Newport, R. I., where her husband is stationed.

Mrs. William Brown, who has been visiting her daughter, Mrs. Wilbur Hilton has returned to her home in Arlington, Mass.

A Mother's Club has been organized with these officers: President, Mrs. Rose Weston; vice president, Mrs. Dora Miller; secretary, Mrs. Laura Jameson; treasurer, Mrs. Dorothy Witherell.

At the recent meeting of the Parent-Teacher Association, the officers chosen are: President, Mrs. Grace Wyllie; vice president, Mrs. Nan Weston; vice president, Miss Agnes Creamer; secretary, Mrs. Madeilyn Porter, treasurer, Mrs. Betty Hilton; program committee, Mrs. Hilda Boggs, Mrs. Julia Burgess, Kenneth Weston and Austin Miller; membership committee, Mrs. Lillian Boggs and Mrs. Rose Weston; ways and means, Ray Witherell, Ernest Boggs, Mrs. Edna Creamer and Mrs. Pauline Wallace; publicity, Mrs. Madeilyn Porter and Mrs. Betty Hilton.

Mrs. H. P. Mason, Mrs. A. D. Gray, Miss Clara Gay, Miss Anna

"We missed it all," said Kelly, "because we were up there in Anaken trying to repair the crumpled steel in our hind end at that little overzealous garage back among the bamboo which they called a machine shop. Native divers, holding their breath, took off the struts and shafts of the rudders and the propellers. We tried to pound the propellers back into shape with hammers on palm logs, while the proprietor did his best to straighten the rest in his machine shop.

"Finally there was a trial run. She'd make only 12 knots—a fraction of her normal speed—and the vibration was terrible; you'd think someone had packed an earthquake in our lazaret."

(To be continued)

## WARREN

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The Woman's Club study unit will meet Thursday at 2 o'clock at the home of Mrs. Abbie Newbert. Topic for the afternoon will be "Russia," papers to be given Mrs. Anna Starrett, Mrs. Abbie Newbert and Mrs. Alena Starrett.

Ladies' night will be observed Thursday at the Congregational Brotherhood. Supper will be served at 6:30 and those not solicited the requested to furnish sweets.

The Happy-Go-Luckies 4-H Club will meet after school Thursday at the home of the local leader, Mrs. Luella Crockett.

Program of the dedication of the honor scroll and service flag Sunday are available at the homes of Mrs. William Cunningham, Mrs. Willis Vinal and Mrs. Alena Starrett. Names inadvertently omitted will be added to the honor scroll, and the names of others will be added as they are inducted.

Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Underwood who recently bought the Henrietta French place near the monument, have moved here from Rockland.

This month's quota of surgical dressings will be large, according to chairman, Mrs. William Barrett, and it is important that many women meet Wednesday at the report centre for work, from 10 to 4.

The three months attendance contest at the Congregational Church which closed recently saw the winning team captained by Merrill Fiske, only a few points ahead of the losing team captained by Vaughan Philbrook. The losing side will entertain the members of the winning side at a party Wednesday at 4:30 at the Congregational chapel. All members of the Congregational Church school are invited.

Honor guests Thursday at the circle supper held at the Congregational chapel were Mr. and Mrs. Fred Perkins, Jr., who have worked during the school year, in the Church School. Sitting at the table with them were the other teachers and their helpers, Rev. and Mrs. L. Clark French, Mrs. Donald Mathews, Mrs. Edgar Wiley, Miss Martha Griffin, Miss Joyce Halligan, Miss Alice Marie Griffin, Mr. and Mrs. Perkins, Herbert Thomas, superintendent of the church school. The center piece of the table was of mixed spring flowers, and favors at each place of dainty May baskets.

Due to illness, Mrs. Elva Greene, warden of the Rebekah assembly will make her official visit to Mystic Rebekah Lodge May 27 instead of May 20 as planned.

"The Right Mr. Wright"

"The Right Mr. Wright comedy in three acts will be presented Friday night at Town Hall, by the Senior class, under the direction of Miss Helene Woodward, High School assistant. The leading part will be taken by Edward Barrett. Other members of the cast are: Wayne Starrett, Joan Smith, Richard Butler, Patricia Leathers, Dorothy Simmons Marilyn Rantucci, Elizabeth Kennistown, Earle Moore Jr., Ann Norwood, Leona Sidelinger and Vaughn Philbrook. Prompter will be Miss Mary Drewett; and properties will be in charge of Miss Gloria Haskell. Furniture for the stage will be loaned by the Burpee Furniture Company of Rockland.

The Senior class will conduct a dance at Glover hall, directly after the play.

Woman's Club Annual Meeting

Officers in the Woman's Club were re-elected at the annual meeting Thursday: President, Mrs. Lilla Cunningham; vice president, Mrs. Grace Wyllie; Mrs. Carrie Smith; secretary, Mrs. Alena Starrett; treasurer, Mrs. Chislie Trone; financial secretary, Mrs. Alice Mathews.

It was voted to send \$5 to Miss

Morse Mrs. Crosby Waltz and Mrs. Elmer Burnham attended the Damariscotta Baptist Association Thursday in Damariscotta.

Anne Hincley, editor of the Waldoboro Press attended the Maine Press Association Saturday in Waterville.

MISCELLANEOUS

HEN dressing given away for payment of this ad. Tel. 92-11. ERICK TORVELLA, South Union. 40-41

After this date I will pay only those bills which I contract personally. R. J. Leonard 40-42

BARGAIN offer good all through month of May. 42 months of The American Home magazine. \$3.00 "RAY" SHERMAN, 76 Masonic street, Rockland. Telephone 1168. Subscriptions to all magazines and newspapers. Established 1933. Prompt service. 39-43

After this date I will pay only those bills which I contract personally. Lyman Haskell 39-41

After this date I will pay only those bills which I contract personally. George B. Miller 39-41

DENTAL NOTICE

During Spring and Summer I will make appointments for Tuesdays and Fridays.

Dr. J. H. Damon, dentist, office over Newberry's 5 and 10 cent store, Tel. 415-W or Res. 1397, Rockland, Me. 39-42

WHEN FOOD DISAGREES

Pepto-Bismol is good for that.

Next time your dinner doesn't set well, and you feel sick and miserable, let nothing PEPTO-BISMOL help you. Relieves heartburn, sour, upset stomach—helps retard gas formation and simple diarrhea. Ask your druggist for PEPTO-BISMOL when your stomach is upset.

Reg. U.S. Pat. Off.

## WEST ROCKPORT

Corp. Oliver Counce spent the week-end with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. William Counce.

Sidney Andrews was home the past week from Camp Kilmer, N. J. on a short furlough.

Mrs. Annie Clark, Mrs. Alice Tolman and Mrs. Mabel Heald attended Lincoln Baptist Association Thursday in Thomaston.

Residents of this village rubbed their eyes and began to wonder what had happened Sunday morning as cars began to line up at the Square. A few minutes later a truck load of soldiers arrived and they wondered still more. The cars bearing the men disappeared in the direction of West street, but later returned to stage a mock encounter with the enemy in the vicinity of the Old Mill. Civilian defense workers were also on duty at their regular posts.

Mrs. Nellie Parker is visiting her daughter, Mrs. Arthur Cushman in Skowhegan.

Bert E. Keller

The funeral of Bert E. Keller who died Saturday morning at the home of his brother, Percy R. Keller in Camden will be held at the church here today at 2 o'clock.

Mr. Keller had been in Camden since he suffered a heart attack last Fall and was taken to the Camden Community Hospital.

He remained there for a short time but had since been able to be up and about at his brother's home. About a week ago he suffered an ill turn which confined him to his bed and failed steady until the end came Saturday.

Mr. Keller is a native of this village where he had always resided. He was the son of Joseph and Marcia Keller. Interment will be in the local cemetery.

EAST WALDOBORO

Millard F. Mank of Farmingdale was a recent visitor at the home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. L. L. Mank's. Hiram Black of Sialgo called recently.

Miss Catherine Wren of Hallowell was weekend guest of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Chester Wren.

Orville Jameson and family of Camden visited Sunday at Josiah Jameson's.

C. E. Barnard of Rockland and Mr. and Mrs. Elbert Starrett who have moved to Swan Island, Richmond were recent callers at C. C. Bowers'.

Corp. Austin G. Miller, Jr. spent a few days furlough with his family here returning Tuesday to Camp Pine N. Y.







## THOMASTON

MABELLE BROWN  
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Raymond Anderson of Augusta was a recent visitor at the home of his parents Mr. and Mrs. Albert Anderson.

Mrs. Rodney Edgett of Belmont, Mass., arrived this week to visit her aunts, Mrs. Mary Berg and Miss Alice Oliver at Oyster River.

Miss Mary Marden of Portland was overnight guest Friday of Mr. and Mrs. John Hewett of Main street.

Mrs. Oscar H. Crie substituted in the Sixth Grade Thursday for Miss Rebecca Robertson.

Mrs. Mary Hussey, R. N., who was in Newton Centre for the winter has returned to her home at Oyster River.

Mr. and Mrs. Donald Thompson and son, John, were in Bangor over the weekend, guests of Mr. and Mrs. Erwin Thompson.

Miss Lena Shorey recently visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Shorey.

Mrs. Harold P. Dana and James Gilchrist Jr., spent the weekend with James Dana who is a student at Hebron Academy.

Ferdinand Day, Jr., is spending seven days' furlough with Mrs. Day at the home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Ferdinand Day.

Mrs. Lawrence Cross of Holden, Mass., and Miss Ruth Smalley of Worcester, Mass., who have been guests of Miss Leila Clark for a few days, returned home Monday.

Rep. and Mrs. William T. Smith received a happy surprise last week, when their son, M. Sgt. William T. Smith, Jr., spoke over the radio, station W.B.H. from Sardi's famous restaurant in Hollywood, Cal.

A Servicemen's table is reserved one morning each week free of charge to all servicemen when a few are chosen to broadcast. M. Sgt. Smith has been in the Army Air Corps, Personnel department for two years.

Clarence Childs, former proprietor of the First National Store, who was recently inducted into the armed services, left today for Fort Devens.

Following the Circle Supper at the Baptist Church Wednesday there will be a program of piano numbers arranged by Mrs. Laie Rogers.

Miss Eleanor Gregory represented the High School Orchestra in the All State Orchestra at the recent Maine State Federation of Music Clubs convention in Lewiston and Auburn.

Miss Mary Richards represented the Junior Rubenstein Club of Rockland on the Junior Day program Saturday morning with a piano solo. She was accompanied to Lewiston by Mrs. Frank Richards.

Miss Richards received extra rating in the preliminary contest which was previously held in Augusta.

Mrs. Dalton Raynes returned to Matinicus after visiting her daughter, Mrs. Warren Ford.

Miss Barbara Johnson of Brooklyn Heights is a surgical patient at Knox Hospital, having undergone an operation today.

Bernard Robinson is enjoying a week's vacation from his duties at the Standard Oil Company in Rockland.

Mrs. Grace M. Strout, Miss Margaret Simmons and Miss Grace Paulsen were guests of Mrs. S. Merritt Farnum of Lewiston during convention of the Maine Federation of Music Clubs held last week in Lewiston and Auburn.

The final meeting of the Parent-Teacher's Association was held Thursday at the High School Auditorium with Mrs. Blanche Lermond, vice president presiding.

These officers were elected: President, Mrs. Helen Elliott; vice president, Wilbur W. Strong; secretary, Mrs. Eva Mackay; treasurer, Mrs. Eva Gilchrist. Principal Horace MacKay described briefly the Pre-school. This musical program Flight Course now being given at was given: Piano duet by Jean and James Gilchrist; vocal quartet, Misses Jean Crie, Ruth Miller, Phyllis Hall and Winnifred MacFarland; and piano solo, Miss Grace Paulsen. Refreshments were served by Mrs. Blanche Lermond, Mrs. Eva Mackay and Mrs. Helen Lynch.

Miss Edith Kellar, who has been visiting her father, Dr. Benjamin

## Strand Theatre, Wednesday and Thursday



They live for crime and thrive on danger. George Sanders and Gail Patrick are deciding a life and death question, with frightened Lynne Roberts looking on. But we won't say whose life—find that out for yourself, in "Quiet Please, Murder." Also featured is handsome newcomer Richard Denning.

Keller, returned Friday to Boston, where she will soon be inducted into the WAACS.

Richard Whitney, U.S.N.R., returned today to Newport, R. I., after spending a seven days' furlough with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Donald P. Whitney.

John Hewett, who recently suffered an ill turn is improving at his home on Main street.

In honor of her eighth birthday anniversary, Mrs. Victor Hills gave a birthday party for Louise Jones, daughter of Mrs. Thelma Jones, Saturday at her home on Main street.

A peanut hunt and games were enjoyed. Ice cream, fancy cookies and three birthday cakes were served. Those bidden were Rae Clark, Norma Clark, Donna Rogers, Evelyn Bean, Barbara Harriman, Donna Edmonds, Jean Newcombe, Kay Keizer, Kathleen Libby, David Hall, Mada Jenkins was unable to attend. The young hostess was the recipient of many gifts.

The Garden Club met Thursday at the home of Mrs. Leila Smalley. The principal subject was Annals and Miss Rita Smith read the poem. Mrs. Adelaide Hanly gave an interesting talk on hollyhocks and Miss Margaret Ruggles on zinnias.

There were 12 members present. The next meeting will be with Mrs. Charles Shorey, Hyler street, May 27.

When Mrs. Richard Elliott will give a talk on a meeting of the Lincoln County Agriculture and Horticultural Society held in this town October, 1856.

Roland Morse of the High School faculty will give his ideas on landscaping Thomaston.

Mrs. George Gilchrist, accompanied by Public Health Nurse Mrs. Katherine Flint, went to Portland Thursday to enter the Eye and Ear Infirmary, where she will receive treatment.

Pvt. John DeWinter, formerly of the Maine State Police, who was recently inducted into the Armed Services, is now stationed at Fort Auster, Mich.

Ralph Harrington of Brewer was in town Thursday looking up old friends.

A delightful party was held Friday night by Miss Gay Stetson at her home on Elm street, in honor of Miss Patricia Roes who with her family are soon moving to Rockport.

Music and games were enjoyed. The first prize was taken by Jean Elliott and second by Patricia Roes. The guests were Misses Jean Cushing, Joan Crie, Jean Spear, Jean Elliott, Nancy Libby and Helen Lynch. Refreshments included sandwiches, cake and ice cream. Miss Roes was presented with a lovely gift.

Talk on Aircraft Warning

The Ground Observer Corps of the U. S. Army Air Forces of Bangor will meet in Watts hall Friday at 7.30. The principal speaker will be Capt. C. H. Wollenberg, officer in charge of the Bangor area. He will discuss Aircraft Warning Service and the importance of a net work of Observation Posts throughout the State. There will also be two representatives from the First Fighter Command stationed at the Ground Observer office at Bangor, who will present a varied program of interest, also there will be a sound motion picture which will show an interesting description of our system if enemy planes are spotted.

Clayton Staples, Chief Observer at the local Post and his assistant Miss Alice C. George have made arrangements and extend an invitation to all Observers, Civilian De-

fense workers and the Pre-Flight Class of the High School as well as to all the citizens of the town.

On the stage with Capt. C. H. Wollenberg and the two representatives will be the selectmen, Rodney E. Jordan, chairman of Civilian Defense, Donald P. Whitney and Robert Mayo. Mrs. R. O. Elliot, chairman of the Red Cross; the outgoing and in-coming Commanders of the American Legion, Roy Bell and Alvah Spear, Master of Weymouth Grange, Earl Maxey, Senator Albert Elliot, Oscar Wishman, District Supervisor of the Observation Post, Rev. Hubert P. Leach, Commander of Civilian Defense and Rev. Herbert Flagg who will pronounce the invocation. Certificates will be given to those who have completed their course in the Aircraft Recognition classes.

The Baptist Junior Choir under direction of Mrs. Grace Strout (a member of the State Committee of War Service) will lead in singing the National Anthem, and the accompanist will be Mrs. Raymond Patterson.

Convention Participants

The Maine Federation of Music Clubs held its annual convention Thursday, Friday and Saturday.

The convention, a most successful one, convened in Lewiston and Auburn. The Baptist Choral Society and the Baptist Junior Choir, members of the State Federation, sent an active delegation, which had representation on nearly all the branches of the convention, solo appearances on musical programs, all-State chorus under the direction of Dr. Osbourne McConathy of Boston, and State committees.

Miss Grace Paulsen gave a piano solo Friday night at the club's concert, winning deserved praise from leading musicians in the audience.

Miss Margaret Simmons sang at a brilliant reception at the spacious home of Mrs. S. Merritt Farnum in Lewiston Thursday night, receiving high commendation.

Miss Leverage Patterson, accompanied by her mother, Mrs. Raymond Patterson, sang on the Junior Day program Saturday morning, greatly pleasing the discriminating audience.

Mrs. Grace M. Strout, choir director, served in various capacities, one of which was the State War Music committee. The Music Federation is doing great work in this field all over the country. The government, realizing the importance of music in the ranks of the armed forces, supports the work of the National Federation of Music Clubs.

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## CAMDEN

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Linwood Reddemarker has gone to New Hampshire for his family after spending the past week with Mr. and Mrs. Gilbert Harmon. The Reddemarkers have rented the Orville Gross cottage at Hosmer Pond for a few weeks. He has employment at the shipyard.

Daniel Yates is a surgical patient at Knox Hospital, Rockland.

Charles Churchill has been a patient at Knox Hospital, Rockland.

Bertram Keller, 74, died Saturday at 53 Washington street, following a long illness. Born in West Rockport, son of Joseph Keller and Marcia Bryant, he had always been a farmer. One brother, town manager Percy R. Keller, survives him.

A member of Pleasant View Grange he was also a member for many years of St. Paul's Masonic Lodge in Rockport. Funeral services today at 2 o'clock at the West Rockport Church, with Rev. C. Vanughn Overman officiating. Burial will be in the cemetery there.

Mrs. Dora Coza of New Haven, Conn., is guest of her brother, Gilbert Harmon.

The High School Alumni Association will hold a used book sale Saturday from 10 a. m. to 9 p. m. at the building formerly occupied by Goodwin's Sandwich Shop.

Seaside Chapter, O.E.S., meets Monday night at the Masonic building.

Mr. and Mrs. Albert W. Hastings and son William and Miss Barbara Pearce of Camden were guests Sunday of Mr. and Mrs. Aubrey Pearson.

Mrs. Hastings and son spent Saturday afternoon with Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Hastings in South Hope.

Mr. and Mrs. Percy Hopkins entertained at a family party Saturday night in honor of Mrs. Frank Rolerson of East Hartford, Conn. Refreshments were served in the

White.

Lady in a Wedding Dress, Susan Cheyne.

Gold and Guns on Half-a-Day Creek, James Hendryx.

Strange Doings on Half-a-Day Creek, James Hendryx.

The Man from Texas, Jackson Gregory.

Balcony Empire, Packards.

Young Lady Randolph, Rene Kraus.

Ghosts of London, H. V. Morton.

Apprentice's Child, T. J. Hamilton.

Uncle Sam's Attic, Mary Lee Davis.

Here is Alaska, Evelyn Stefanon.

Another Claudia, Rose Franken.

Spring Magic, D. E. Stevenson.

Crooked Adam, D. E. Stevenson.

Just Before Dawn, Anne Green.

Perilous Journey, Sabet & Kroll.

One Small Candle, Cecil Roberts.

The Fifth Seal, Mark Aidanov.

Action by Night, Ernest Haycox.

Hell and High Water, William Raine.

Stairs of Sand, Zane Gray.

Skipjack Packard, Marguerite D'Augelli.

Ludwig Beethoven and the Chiming Tower Bells, Opal Wheeler; Mozart, (same series).

Let's Look Around, Gates & Avers.

## QUIZ FOR DRIVERS

BY J. E. WINGMASTER—AUTOMOTIVE SUPERINTENDENT COLONIAL ESSO MARKERS

WHAT IS THE PERCENTAGE OF FATAL ACCIDENTS WHICH INVOLVE LIQUOR?

IS IT FARTHER BY ROAD FROM NEW YORK CITY TO OMAHA OR FROM LOS ANGELES TO PORTLAND?

WHAT IS "CAMBER" ON A CAR WHEEL?

Answers to Quiz for Drivers

A.—An average of 20% of fatal accidents involves either a driver or pedestrian who has been drinking.

A.—It is 665 miles farther from Los Angeles to Portland, Oregon. New York-Omaha is 1318 miles. Los Angeles-Portland is 1043 miles.

A.—Camber is the outward sloping of the front wheels toward the top so that they are further apart on top than at the bottom. It brings the road contact of the wheel more nearly under the point where the weight of the load rests and aids in steering.

Buy War Bonds and Stamps

## Park Theatre, Tuesday, Wednesday, Thursday



As the barrage lifts and rolls forward, the Infantry—bayonets fixed, guns at the ready—charges across the desert sands to contact the enemy—each veteran with a personal score to settle! This is one of many high lights from "Desert Victory."

Mmm—yep, she's a honey, all right, is Lois Andrews, as she appears in the title role of 20th Century-Fox's "Dixie Dugan."



evening. Those present: Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Bishop, Mr. and Mrs. Cloyd Packard and Mrs. Walter Treacartin.

Community Hospital: Charles Poor is a medical patient; William Overlock of Rockport and Guy Ripley of Lincolnville are surgical patients. Mrs. Eugene Shaw has returned home.

Mrs. Ida Ingraham has returned home after being a patient at the Murray Nursing Home.

Pedro Fernandez of New York City is at Mr. Frank Wilbur's, Sea street.

Civilian Defense Birthday Party

The first anniversary party of the Civilian Defense Corps and the Observation Post will be held Thursday at 7.30 at the Opera House with the Chamber of Commerce helping sponsor the party.

The heads of the organizations, Civilian Defense chairman Percy Keller, Chief Observer Victor Elmore, Chamber president David Crockett, and Canteen chairman Mrs. Edna Ames, are now busy with plans for observing this first birthday. The program will include movies, music by the High School band, light refreshments served by the Canteen, a speaker with the latest information on defense activities, and short talks by Army officers of the First Fighter Command.

In recognition of the importance of the work done by the many patriotic citizens who have served during the past year, the Chamber of Commerce is helping sponsor the party by chipping in on the refreshments.

Invitations are extended to all members of the three groups, Civilian Defense workers, observers at the Observation Post, Chamber of Commerce members, and also any new applicant desiring to become a member of the defense groups.

Included in the Civilian Defense workers are the civilian protection groups such as Air Raid Wardens, Emergency Police, Fire, Medical, Utility, Food and Housing groups; also the war services of the Citizens' Service Corps such as the Neighbor-

hood leaders, Nutrition, Health and Hospital volunteer.

Col. Edwy L. Taylor

Edwy L. Taylor died Monday of a heart attack following an extended illness. Long a Summer resident here, Col. Taylor later became a permanent citizen of the town when he built on Chestnut street some years ago, the stone structure known as "Hurricane House." After taking up his residence here, he promptly became active in the life of the community and held membership in the Megunticook Golf Club, Camden Yacht Club, and Arey-Heal Post, A. L. He was a member and faithful attendant at St. Thomas Episcopal Church.

Col. Taylor was born in Albany, N. Y., Sept. 8, 1879, studied at the Albany Academy and was graduated from Yale University, class of 1901. He was a member of the Berzelius Society there.

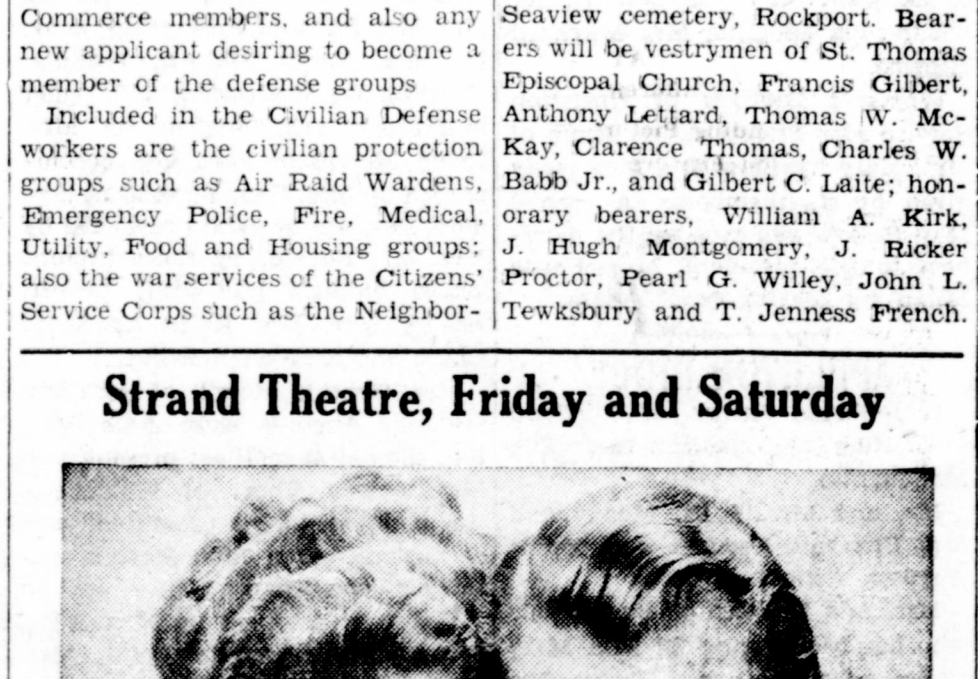
After graduation from college, he taught for four years in the Scientific School at Yale. Later he was associated with the New York Central Railroad for six years, and following this, was 17 years with the New York, New Haven and Hartford Railroad. From 1931 through 1941 he was a member of the Public Utilities Commission of Connecticut.

For one year he served with the A.E.F. in World War I and at the time of his death was in the inactive reserve, holding the commission of Lieutenant-Colonel.

Surviving are his wife, Helen Curtis Taylor, and three children, Lieut. John Taylor, U.S.N.R., Lieut. William C. Taylor, U.S.N.R., and Mrs. Stuart C. Ferris.

Services will be held today at 3 o'clock from St. Thomas Episcopal Church and interment will be in Seaview cemetery, Rockport. Bearers will be vestrymen of St. Thomas Episcopal Church, Francis Gilbert, Anthony Lettard, Thomas W. McKay, Clarence Thomas, Charles W. Babb Jr., and Gilbert C. Laite; honorary bearers, William A. Kirk, J. Hugh Montgomery, J. Ricker Proctor, Pearl G. Willey, John L. Tewksbury and T. Jenness French.

## Strand Theatre, Friday and Saturday



Alan Ladd is not only a two-gun man—he's a two-woman man! In Paramount's spy thriller "Lucky Jordan" he makes love to this blonde duet, Helen Walker and Marie McDonald.

## ROCKPORT

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The Methodist Junior Ladies Aid will meet Wednesday with Mrs. Erwin Sprague.

Mr. and Mrs. Newton Graffam have moved from Mrs. Mabel Withee's house on Mechanic street to a cottage at Hosmer's Pond.

Regular communication of St. Paul's Lodge, F.A.M., was held Monday night with work in the Master Mason degree.

Harbor Light Chapter, O.E.S., will meet Tuesday night with work on two candidates. Officers are requested to wear white.

Rockport Farm Bureau will meet Thursday at the home of Mrs. Bessie Haraden, 234 Limerock street, Rockland, for an all-day session. The dinner committee: Mrs. Inez Packard, Mrs. Ada Payson and Mrs. Helen Brewer. Members taking bus may get off at Highland street, off Park street.

Miss Fannie McPartland, Miss Anna Hayes and Miss Agnes Hayes of Cincinnati, Ohio, are expected to arrive Thursday to open Mrs. A. H. Chaffield's cottage, Aldermere, for the season.

Lieut. Commander Frederick Richards, who has been spending a short furlough at his home here, has returned to Columbia University, New York City.

The Johnson Society will meet Wednesday afternoon with Miss Marion Weidman.

Mrs. George Crockett went Monday to Portland, where she will attend a convention of Episcopal women.

The Thimble Club will meet Wednesday with Mrs. Evelyn Crockett.

The Baptist Ladies' Circle will meet Wednesday with Mrs. Hazel Cain.

Mr. and Mrs. Creighton Black are occupying one of the R. W. Buzzell camps.

Fred R. Norwood, W.R.C., will attend a union service Sunday at the Methodist Church.

Mrs. Melvine Abbott, who has been visiting Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Berry, has returned to her home in Brewer.

Everett Libby of Manchester, N. H., called Sunday on friends in town.

Red Cross workers will meet Tuesday from 2 to 4 o'clock. Surgical dressings are to be folded.

Mrs. Charles Collins and sons Arthur and Charles of Portland were guests Thursday of Mrs. Ralph H. Wilson.

Mrs. Leoline Hyssong went Sunday to Portland where she will visit for a few days.

Miss Frances Staples and Harold MacLeod of Portland and Mrs. Ernest Crockett and son Harold were dinner guests Sunday of Mr. and Mrs. Russell Staples.

Miss Shirley Staples is visiting her aunt, Mrs. Malcolm Daggett, in Rockland, for several days.

Dell and Mary Hyssong of Portland were week-end guests at Ralph H. Wilson's.

Mrs. Nina Carroll entertained at dinner and cards Friday night, Marion Ingraham, Elsie Hawkins, Marie Bisbee, Alice Priest, Marion Richards, Hildred Rider, Helen Small, and Nellie Staples.

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Camden Theatre

begins at Eight-Thirty" for Voolley, Ida Lupino, Cornel and Sara Algood in the drama, arriving Wednesday at Camden Theatre. The imposing cast features: Voolley, Cooper, J. Edwards and William Demarest.

OF THE TOWN

ment out of court has been won in the case of the will of Lucy Rokes of Thomas-ville of interpleader had been by the Thomaston National to the disposal of the re- \$10,000 of the estate. The dated Nov. 23, 1926, and co- added Nov. 15, 1939, and 1941. The will and codicils passed after her death and ap- pital filed an appeal, espe- against the second codicil, it off from the residue, smaller bequest, leaving the to Ernest Keywood, who had acquaintance with Miss later years. The court upon by bank and council must have the approval late Justice Harry Manset Superior Court.

rt Farm Bureau will meet at the home of Mrs. O. Haraden, Limerock Mrs. Ada Payson and Mrs. on an all day session. The committee is: Mrs. In- Brewer. Members coming should get off at Highland Park street.

H. Newbert Association Friday night in Grand Al. with 6:30 supper, mem- ing their own dishes. Those upper committee are: Mrs. Jordan, Mrs. Belle Frost, le Clark and Miss Kath- Veezie.

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Social Matters

A delightful party was given by Mrs. Crosby Ludwick and Miss Marion Ludwick at their home on Limerock street recently, honoring Miss Marguerite deRochemont who has resigned as teacher in New York. A traveling bag was presented to Miss deRochemont by the guests. Those attending were Mrs. Joseph E. Blaisdell, Mrs. Joseph Robinson, Mrs. Thomas Leahy, Mrs. Ruth Sanborn, Miss Bertha Luce, Miss Mary Brown, Miss Catherine Taylor, Mrs. Cleo Hopkins, Miss Adelaide Cross, Miss Jeannette Stahl, Miss Elizabeth Rackley, Mrs. Everett Pitts, Mrs. Rex Garrett, Mrs. Ruth Spear, Mrs. Earle Ludwick and Miss Joyce Johnson.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Collins of 750 Main street have announced the engagement of their daughter, Miss Blanche E. Collins to Corp. Clifford H. Gardner, Jr., son of the late Mrs. Marion Shade of this city. Miss Collins is a graduate of Rock- port High School and is employed at J. B. Pearson Co., Thomaston. Corp. Gardner is with the Portland Harbor Defenses stationed at Fort Williams. The wedding will take place in June.

Mrs. Della E. Harlow of Water-ville has been visiting her daugh- ter, Mrs. Alton H. Higgins, Summer street. Mrs. Harlow was accom- panied home Sunday by Mr. and Mrs. Higgins and daughter Anna.

Mrs. Edward R. Veazie enter- tained the Budgeters at her Middle street home Thursday afternoon.

Miss Carrie L. Fields, who is em- ployed in the office of the New Eng-land Shipbuilding Corporation, South Portland, spent the week-end with her father, Isaac J. Fields, Maverick street.

Mrs. Howard Carver and children Linda and John of Rochester, N. Y., arrived Saturday, called here be- cause of the hospitalization for ap- pendectomy of Mrs. Carver's father, Howard W. Hall of Park street.

Miss Maize P. Joy and Miss Vir- ginia Tirrell, both employed in Portland as service representatives of the telephone company, were week-end guests of Miss Joy's par- ents, Mr. and Mrs. Clarence P. Joy.

Miss Margaret E. Albee, R. N., is visiting her parents, Capt. and Mrs. Leman S. Albee Asheville.

Mrs. Evelyn Spencer who has been visiting the past week, at the home of her mother, Mrs. Willis Hooper, 118 Camden street, re- turned Saturday to New Haven.

Recently appointed officers of the Veterans of Foreign Wars Auxil- iary are: Mrs. Warren, hospital chairman; Annie Nye, welfare chairman; Gladys Hamlin, enter- tainment chairman and Mrs. Moody in charge of Memorial Day services.

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'I'm In The Army Now'

Three-Act Comedy To Be Presented In The Metho- dist Vestry

"I'm in the Army Now", (not a war play), sponsored by the Youth Fellowship of the Methodist Church, a comedy in three acts, will be presented in the vestry at 8:15 Wednesday night.

The cast of characters is: "Pa" Ira Robertson, Kenneth Chatto; "Ma" Lily Robertson, Leona Well- man; Lanna Robertson, their daughter, Joan Hunt; Bronson Robertson, their oldest son, Byron Keene; Toby Robertson, another son, Dennis Trask; Granny Robert- son, Betty Hempstead; Dale Morri- son, Faith Long; Letty Ashbrook, Sandra Hallowell; Prentiss Roper, Robert Achorn; Corinna Duffin, Barbara Koster; Audrey Nayland, Florence Knight; Mrs. Essie Knapp, Edith Clark; and Ramon Valdez, George Berliawsky.

The play is being produced under the direction of Mrs. Elmer E. Trask, Jr., her assistants being, Al- bert Havener, chairman of publi- city and music; Robert Achorn and Kenneth Chatto, stage managers; Edith Clark, costume mistress; Bar- bara Koster, properties manager; Joseph Emery, Sr., make-up; and Miss Dorothy Trask, prompter.

Two members of the cast are from outside the Youth Fellowship: By- ron Keene, who has a long and dif- ficult part, and George Berliawsky, who on very short notice took the place of Jack Hatterston.

Interesting situations are popping up all through the action, which takes place at the home of the Ro- bertsons. There's many a laugh from start to finish and some serious moments as the play con- tinues on to a happy ending.

In the prayer, Rev. L. Clark French, whose son is with the Ma- rines in the Pacific area, asked that the Lord watch over those fighting for righteousness, and asked that those left behind, look forward, not in fear but in hope.

One of the highlights of the de- dication ceremonies, was the presen- tation of nose-gay bouquets of red, white and blue flowers to Mrs. Ed- mund V. Oxtan, five star mother; Mrs. Clarence B. Tolman, four star mother; Mrs. Dana H. Smith, Sr., whose husband and son are in the service; and to Frank Barrett, a nose-gay bouquet for his mother, Mrs. Edna Barrett, Warren's gold star mother, who was not present for the exercises. The presentation was made by the members of the For- get-Me-Not Girl Scout Troop, Dorothy and Nancy Aho, at the close of the dedication address.

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Frank Rowe's Address To Foreign Duty

"No sacrifice too great" He Said At Warren Dedi- cation Sunday

"No sacrifice is too great to keep our country free," Frank D. Rowe, retired superintendent of schools, pointed out Sunday at the dedica- tion of the honor scroll and service flag, held at Warren Town hall, auspices of the Warren Woman's Club.

"Our boys, scattered all over the world, seem nearer now that we are all together," he continued to say in his dedication address. "Our forefathers fought to keep our coun- try free for life, liberty and the pursuit of happiness. The desire for this freedom is common with the United Nations, who turn to us be- cause of our assurance of freedom.

"The benefits in the service have brought out hidden talents. Men in the service won't come back to the same jobs they left, but will seek new frontiers in the air, by radio, and numerous other ways. We are literally being forced into a brand new world.

"We must not, however let the war crowd out other phases of life, particularly religion. Those close to God each day, do not have to reach so far to find Him. Service men are turning toward the spiri- tual side of life, we read, both after an engagement as well as be- fore one."

In conclusion he read the names of the 94 inducted in the service, and the dates of their induction. He pointed out parents sixteen of the men in the service had attended High School when he was principal, forty-two men in the service had been through the grades and High School while he was superintendent of schools, and twenty-four others he had known as well as town boys, through the grades.

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Preserve And Can From Capt. Sackett

Mrs. Loana Shibles and Mrs. Helen Dana To Be Tem- porary Agents For June

Mrs. Loana Shibles of Rockport and Mrs. Helen Dana of Thomas- ton will be temporary home dem- onstration agents for the month of June in charge of the preservation and canning program in Knox and the Lincoln Counties.

Raising and preserving as much food at home as possible is going to insure that family of a good food supply next Winter. Canning, dry- ing, salting, krauting, and storing are all methods of preserving. The latest information on preserving will be given at a meeting held in every community in June either by Mrs. Shibles or Mrs. Dana.

Neighborhood leaders will be re- sponsible for having this informa- tion reach every family. These are public meetings. Literature is dis- tributed.

Follow this paper for the schedule of meetings.

"A Marked Power"

"K. S. F." Pays Respects To Brilliant Pastor Occup- ing Baptist Pulpit

I have been presented with a copy of "A Brief Historical Sketch" of the famous and beautiful Green- wood Baptist Church, Brooklyn, N. Y. by a former pastor, who is now de- lightening the members of the First Baptist Church of Rockland by his fine personality and his deep re- ligious understanding.

It is an event worth while to have a bit of talk with this brilliant thinker, and resourceful gentleman, whose passion for souls is his key- note of individuality. To know him is to wish to share in his keen de- light in life and its possibilities in the deeper Christian experiences.

He was a marked power in this New York environment and all through his pastorates in Maine and Massachusetts he has been a marked success for the best in every line of life. I will have more to say at another time about Dr. O'Brien's work over the radio, and his interest in a great work on our Maine coast.

Hostess List

Rockland Servicemen's Club

Wednesday, May 19—1:30 to 4:30, Mrs. Frank Carsey; 4:30 to 7:30, Mrs. Ralph Feyler; 7:30 to 10:30, Mrs. Clara Calderwood and Mrs. Keryn ap Rice.

Thursday, May 20—1:30 to 4:30 p. m., Mrs. Henry deRochemont; 4:30 to 7:30, Mrs. Lucille Cannon, Mrs. Elwood Gaines; 7:30 to 10:30, Mrs. Ray Foley, Mrs. Don Perry.

Friday May 21—1:30 to 4:30 p. m., Mrs. Clara Smith; 4:30 to 7:30, Miss Flora Savage, Mrs. Clara Curtis; 7:30 to 10:30, Mrs. Vita Lombardo, Mrs. Persis Kirk.

Sunday May 23—1:30 to 4:30 p. m., Mrs. Mona McIntosh, Mrs. Albert Havener; 4:30 to 7:30, Mrs. Edward R. Veazie, Mrs. David Mc- Cart; 7:30 to 10:30, Mrs. Laton Jackson, Miss Marie Tillock, Miss Irma McLeod.

Monday, May 24—1:30 to 4:30 p. m., Mrs. John I. Snow; 4:30 to 7:30, Mrs. John Pomeroy, Miss Gladys Blethen; 7:30 to 10:30, Mrs. Elmer Trask, Mrs. Florence Stanfield.

Tuesday May 25—1:30 to 4:30 p. m., Mrs. Rose Poult; 4:30 to 7:30, Mrs. Lena Stevens; 7:30 to 10:30, Mrs. Isidor Gordon, Mrs. Ralph Stickney.

Substitutes—Mrs. John Chisholm, Mrs. Sidney Harden, Mrs. Wilbur Cross, Mrs. Howard Crozier, Mrs. Ivy Brackett, Mrs. David Beach, Mrs. Ralph Wiggins.

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To fertilize the crops of hay They raised for cattle feed And got supplies of milk and meat Sufficient for their need.

Now what they indirectly ate And smelled direct and strong, The fertilizer of their fields, We all will eat ere long.

For more nutritious mussels are Than oysters so much prized And more digestible than clams Today we are advised.

Alison M. Watts, Jamaica, Vt.

WHY? Why I ask, since every man Might have been, blood of my blood Can not I claim kinship to those I wish for future brotherhood?

Is not the world my country The glory of my life and race, My life impinged with stars— Peopled with infinite grace.

Yes, the good round earth is ours Peoples of every race that flowers All glory in their virtue and sod Under the mighty hand of God Our resting place.

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## Adj. Simmons Sermon

### Rockland Boy Preaches At An American Legion Church Service

Adjutant Clarence A. Simmons of Toledo, Ohio, son of Mr. and Mrs. George C. Simmons of this city, delivered a sermon at the fifth annual church service of Vimy Post, American Legion, held at the Salvation Army Chapel in Toledo, recently.

From the former Rockland boy's fine address, the following is quoted:

"The world has never or will it ever look upon the work of a traitor with anything but contempt. The English hated Benedict Arnold even though he had sold his country for English gold. I believe the Germans hate the officials of the conquered countries who collaborate with them in their efforts for a new world order.

"The Jews sneered at Judas when he threw the cursed 30 pieces of silver at them. The Japanese published a story a few days ago that several Englishmen and a number of Americans had been properly punished after they confessed that they had dressed as civilians in order to escape death when the Philippines fell. I am afraid the Japanese will have a hard time to convince the average Englishman or American that their story is true.

"I have every confidence that victory will be ours. Throughout the length and breadth of our land, factories are producing the finest implements of modern warfare at a staggering speed. America has geared its production lines at a terrific rate to become, in fact, the arsenal of democracy. The Army we had on paper two years ago has become flesh and blood, millions of young Americans are anxious to get the thing over with and return home to a normal existence. The thousands of planes that were only blueprints a year ago are now blasting Germany and German-held countries, and will continue to blast them at an ever-increasing rate until Victory is ours.

"Our President and the Prime Minister of Great Britain have given to the world the Atlantic Charter and the four freedoms. Our Vice President urges World Freedom: A World Democracy where there will be a place for everyone; Work for the soldier who returns from the battlefield; Economic reconstruction; Full employment for the folks at home; higher living standards for the backward peoples of the earth; unemployment insurance; old age annuities; and supervision of the school systems of the powers we are now at war with.

"We cannot build a peace without spiritual foundations. The gospel must be applied to the economic, social and political problems of the hour. The treaty of Versailles did not recognize God in any way. Clemenceau, perhaps the dominating figure, being an atheist. Someone must insist at the Peace Table that the basis be laid in righteousness. I believe that the influence of the church will decline if it fails to take a united front to prevent our people from returning to the old isolationism, as they did in 1919. If our Islands in the far Pacific had been properly armed, there would have been no attack on Pearl Harbor. The only permanent memorial that can be raised to our honored dead is to see that the same thing will never happen again.

"A few weeks ago Mrs. Simmons and I walked through the Jewish section on New York's lower east side, on the eve of their Sabbath. The windows were opened and we saw the Jewish people worshipping God in the same manner and custom that their forefathers had worshipped Him for centuries. Passing their synagogue were thousands of men and women representing every race, creed, and color on the face of our earth. Yet our Jewish brothers were allowed to proceed with their worship unmolested. Thousands of our lads have given their lives in every part of the world to preserve this freedom for all men. Their sacrifice should spur us on to work for the elimination of racial barriers in industry, education, and Government.

"Our nation is engaged in a world struggle with the forces of paganism. When that struggle has been brought to a victorious end America needs to rediscover the Church. We need to take time to worship God if we expect our way of life to accomplish its purpose. Will America turn its back and sink into paganism, or will it accept the challenge presented to us and refuse to sell the inheritance of our fathers?"

**Saved Man, Lost Auto**  
Louis Purdy of Pana, Ill., smelling smoke in a hotel, rushed into a room and rescued a sleeping man from a burning bed. Firemen tossed the bed clothing out the window, setting Purdy's auto afire and destroying it. Joseph Callahan, falling asleep while reading, slipped from his chair and landed on his own false teeth, which took a bite at him.

## Hits Record High

### A. & P.'s Purchase of Maine Produce Last Year More Than \$4,000,000

Cash returns to Maine growers and shippers in 1942 increased 5.5 percent to an all-time high of \$4,031,866 from fresh fruits and vegetables sold through the Great Atlantic and Pacific Tea Company's produce-buying affiliate, the Atlantic Commission Company, it is reported today. In 1942 purchases totaled \$3,820,544.

The State supplied fresh fruits

and vegetables equivalent to 7943 carlots last year. Harvey A. Baum, vice president and general manager, said in a report on the produce company's first full year of wartime operations. He reported also that growers and shippers obtained a record share of the consumer's dollar spent for produce in A & P stores, receiving an average of 56.3 cents in 1942, which is 20 percent higher than the 46.8 cents in 1937 and three percent more than the 54.6 cents in 1941. This is well above the national average returns from produce sold through all channels.

"Greatly increased demand for fresh fruits and vegetables and the

narrowing of the spread between farm and retail prices contributed to increasing the income of our Maine farm suppliers by 5.5 percent from 1941 to 1942," Baum reported. "Growers not only cashed in on higher prices but also on years of work of efficient distributors. Every cent saved in distribu-

tion has been another step in increasing the income of growers. "Growers today have an opportunity to build expanded, stable markets that will endure in peacetime if quality, grade and pack standards are maintained insofar as wartime conditions permit; and if growers and distributors work together even

more closely to eliminate unnecessary steps and costs in marketing." Baum, praising Maine's growers for their efficient mass production of food last year, said potatoes and apples were the principal crops purchased from the state's growers and shippers of fresh fruits and vegetables in 1942.

## Nation's Grangers

In some Grange communities a system has been arranged whereby a big farm wagon, horse-drawn, makes a tour of the neighborhood and takes the members to Grange meetings—no gas or tires involved. Farmers take turns furnishing horse power and the plan works out joyfully.

Hundreds of Victory Gardens this season, in village and city localities, will be supervised by farmers and Grange leaders, eager thus to encourage maximum food production.

Scarcely a night but a new service flag is dedicated in some Grange hall, with impressive exercises.

The wool growers of the country will be assured prices averaging around 40 cents a pound for their 1943 production, under a price-support program tentatively approved recently by the United States Department of Agriculture.

Reliable reports indicate that the moving picture industry's 11,000,000 theater seats are not enough to take care of the biggest boom the amusement industry of the United States has ever known. Big exhibitors report attendance averaging from 15 to 20 percent ahead of last year, which in turn showed the best box office totals in more than 15 years. Old theatres, the mistakes of the gala decade of the 20's, are becoming the gold mines of the wartime 1940's. If the industry could get the materials, it would like to expand capacity, particularly in the war boom areas.

All restrictions regarding the production of sugar beets during 1943 have been removed by Food Administrator Chester C. Davis. One of Mr. Davis's first acts as Food Czar was to rescind an order of the Department of Agriculture reducing the production of sugar beets to 70 percent of last year's crop. As is well known, the American people consume more sugar than any other nation in the world. About 30 percent of our sugar is produced within the Continental area of the United States, while the remainder comes from Cuba and our island possessions.

The big meat packers have recently presented a program to remedy the chaotic conditions in the meat situation. The key point to the plan is that government buying be handled from day to day in the light of available supply. The packers declare that this would enable the government to maintain control over meat and livestock prices at any level desired.

With the canning season still several months away, retailers in various parts of the country report a brisk business in glass jars. The demand is so strong that retailers who never before sold this item, such as installment furniture houses, soft drink places, auto accessory outlets, and even gasoline filling stations, have rushed to lay in supplies. But most distributors, already allocating limited stocks to regular customers, are not filling many new orders. The industry estimates that the total output in Mason jars, invented about 85 years ago by John L. Mason, and used in home processing of vegetables and fruits, will reach a new record of 450,000,000 this year. This compares with approximately 283,000,000 last year.

### YES, YOU'RE LUCKY

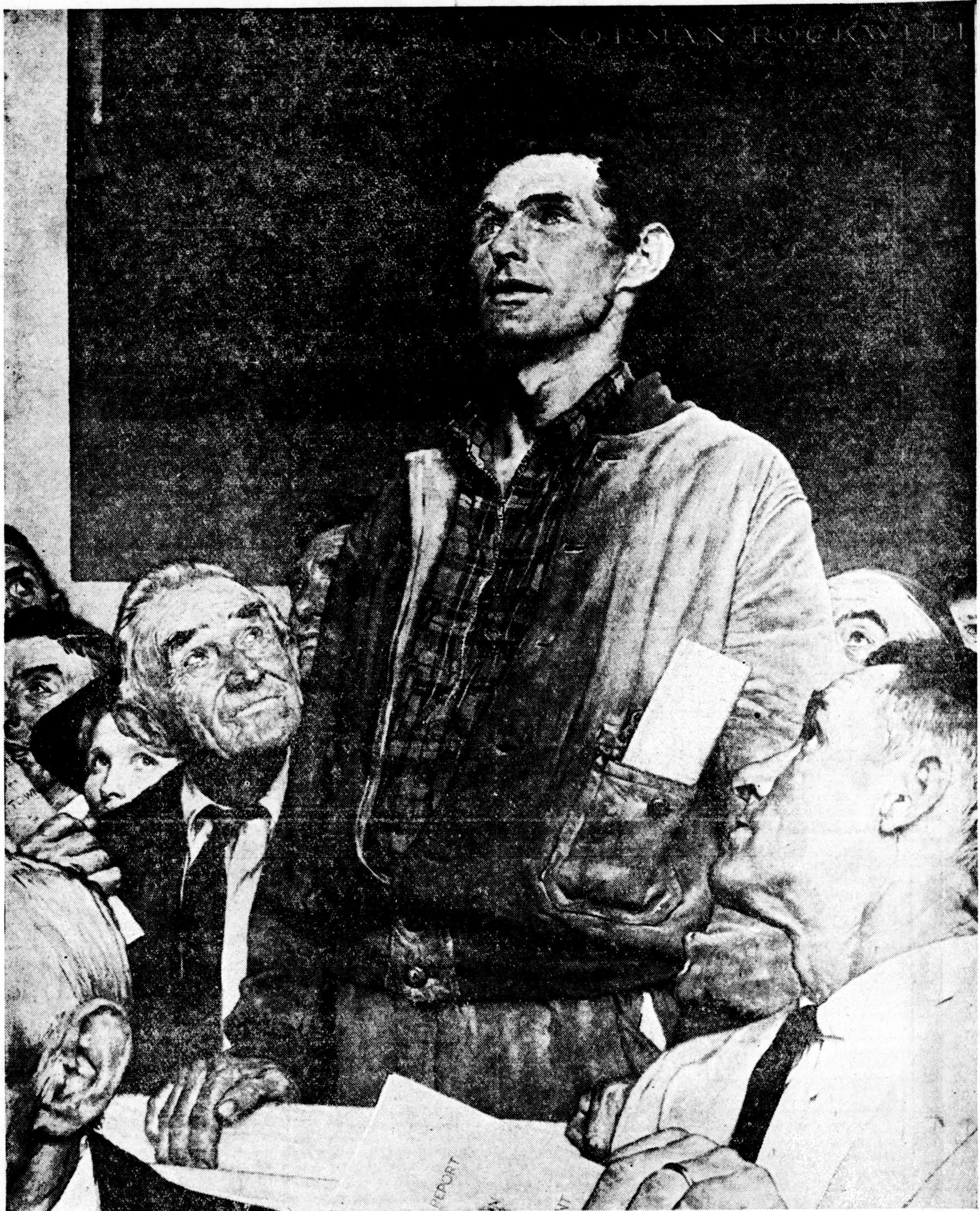
Prices Are High and There's Rationing, But You Still Have Home Life

At the request of a mother, who writes that she has a son in the service, the following is re-published:

"Let's look at it this way, mister. You're doing all right now. You still have your home life. You still have your job. Chances are you are making more money than you ever have before. Sure, you have a lot of worry. Taxes are terrific. Prices are high. Rationing is a nuisance. But so what?

You're still well off. Better off than any average man in the world, outside of the U.S.A. Better off than a lot of your countrymen too. How about those eager youngsters, giving up their futures? How about the older men with wives and children, now far from home? Mister, they are giving everything. But you, you're lucky—luckier than you know."

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You live in a little town. The sheriff's your next door neighbor, and the mayor calls you by your first name. Second Thursday every month there's a town-hall meeting. You get up and have your say; about the teacher being unfair to Willie; or how about paving the street in front of your store; or why aren't there more police around the war plant to safeguard the girls going home from the night shift?

That's freedom of Speech. You have your say, and you speak your mind. What you say isn't earth-shaking. But it's important; because mind, it's a reflection of your thinking about—needing—wanting—one thing or another related to your own or some other person's rights as a human being.

It doesn't matter whether you live in the little town; or a large one; or in one of America's biggest cities. If you don't stand up in a town-hall meeting, you write to your Mayor . . . your Congressman . . . the President of the United States.

Maybe your criticism goes further than little Willie. It may be about all the textbooks used by the Board of Education; or that pipeline to Alaska; or post-war planning. Any way, yours is the privilege—to have your say and speak your mind. That's Freedom of Speech! You wouldn't want it wrested from you by fascist fanaticism: so you've GOT to save it! That makes this YOUR WAR, no matter what YOU have to do to win it . . .

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